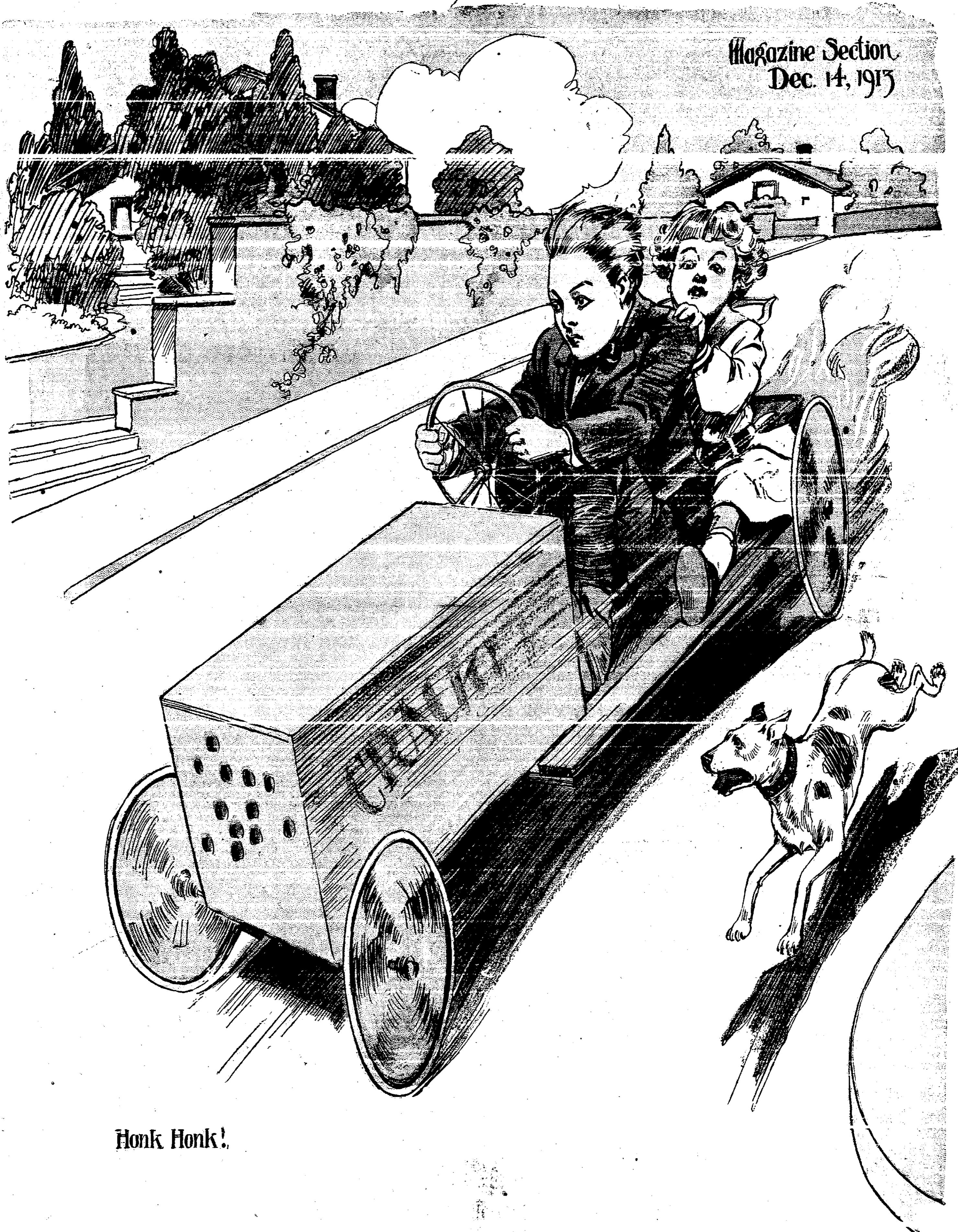


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ENGLISH VOICE
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PROTESTOpposition Against Increasing
Expenditures Daily Growing
Louder and Stronger.League Formed Under Lord
Welby and Sir Leon to Organize
Opposition.(Special to THE TRIBUNE by Interna-
tional News Service.)

(By PHILLIP EVERETT.)

London, Dec. 13.—The chorus of voices protesting against the increasing expenditures on armaments is daily growing stronger, and a league has been formed by representative citizens under the leadership of Lord Welby and Sir Herbert Leon to organize a popular protest against this waste of the money of the people.

Sir Herbert Leon, when interviewed on the subject, said the idea of the league had been born when Mr. Churchill in his recent speech at Guildhall had hinted that he would need quite a few more millions for the navy next year, and denounced the waste of thus spending the money of the people as a national disease, for which a remedy must be found, unless the English people prefer to find themselves in the same position as France, with a deficit of half a hundred million pounds, or Japan with an income tax of 20 per cent.

Lord Welby denounced the war scares of the sensational press, which terrify not only the common people, but Cabinet Ministers and Parliament out of their wits, and having thus created a panic, tell their friends the people interested in war and armaments to get round the tax-payers and tell the treasurer.

Surely no one can deny any longer that the Orangemen of Ulster, the loyalists, as they call themselves, are choosing rather strange ways of proving their loyalty. Not only are they eager to fight any troops that the government may find it necessary to send to Ulster in order to enforce a Home Rule law, adopted by Parliament and signed by the king, but they now declare themselves ready to become subjects of the Kaiser rather than bow to the government.

In a recent issue of the Unionist paper, the Irish Churchman, I find the following sensational paragraph:

"It may not be known to the rank and file of Unionists that we have the offer of aid from a powerful continental monarch, who, if Home Rule is forced on the Protestants of Ireland, is prepared to send an army sufficient to relieve England of any further trouble in Ireland by attaching it to his dominions, believing as he does, that if our king breaks his coronation oath by signing the Home Rule bill he will by so doing forfeit his claim to rule Ireland. And, should our king sign the Home Rule Bill, the Protestants of Ireland will welcome this continental deliverer as their forefathers under similar circumstances did once before. Therefore, Unionists of Ireland.

Fresh courage taken.

The clouds are so much dread
Are full of mercy and will break
In blessings on your head.

While conservative dukes and peers of less exalted rank have hitherto tried to prove their patriotism and interest of the solution of the important land problem merely by trying to unload on the government as much of their surplus land as possible, at four or five times its actual value, a Liberal peer, Lord Ashby St. Leger, has come forward with an offer to put the government's land policy to a fair and practical test.

Imported a farming expert from Denmark, where agriculture is worked in the most rational and scientific manner, to act as supervisor, Lord St. Leger intends to work two large farms, pay higher wages than the prevailing to all his farmhands and make the farms pay. Should the experiment prove a success his laborers will be better housed than any in the country, and receive from 30 to 50 per cent more in return for their work. Also their working hours will be considerably shortened, leaving them time to work the gardens belonging to their cottages and thus raise all the vegetables needed by their families.

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The Danish expert engaged has, after a careful analysis of the soil, declared that it will be able to produce four times the present crops when worked scientifically, and the experiment should thus prove exceedingly profitable to the owner.

Judging from the German press, relations between Germany and this country are not apt to improve very rapidly, and it is the First Lord of the Admiralty whom the Germans are inclined to blame.

The subjects of the Kaiser are bewildered by what they call Mr. Churchill's erratic tactics, and one real feels inclined to sympathize with them. When they hear the English Secretary of the Navy seriously advocating the idea of a Anglo-German annual holiday in the construction of warships to keep down the burden of armaments, and a few weeks later find him as eagerly advocating absolute British naval supremacy, they cease to trust him any longer, because they do not know what he really means, and there are a lot of people in this country in the same

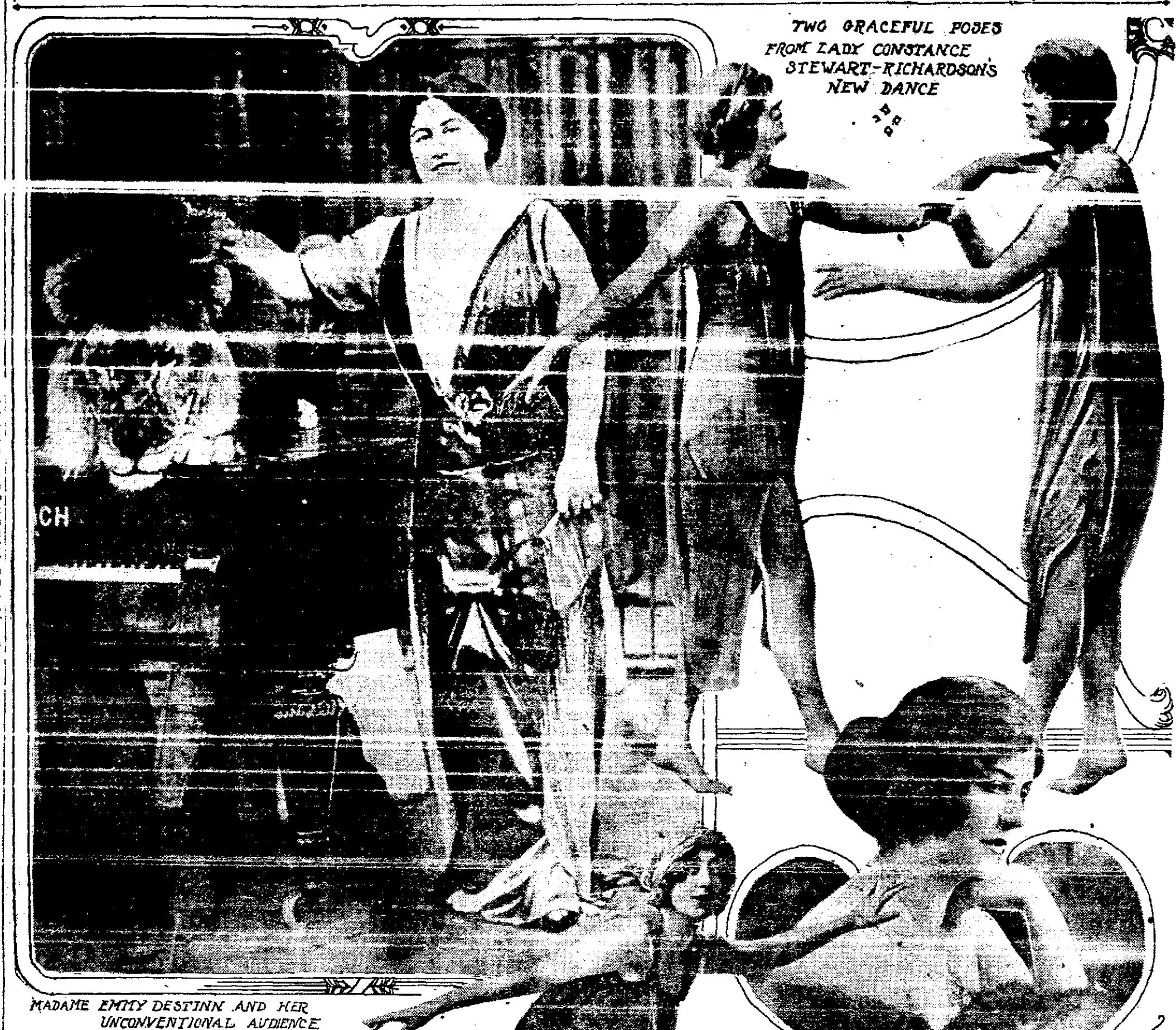
As a matter of fact, I know from Mr. Churchill himself that he has no higher ambition than to be a "naval bazaar."

Indifference resulted, if, for no other reason, because being a young man, he seemed to prefer power, while continued ship building must necessarily mean new taxes.

The taxpayers have a peculiar tendency at general elections to push into the seats the men who burden them with taxes.

The Germans, whose cabinets are less susceptible to popular indignation, and whose cabinet ministers do not resign at the first warning of their unpopularity, seem to do this, or they would under-

Some Pictures Not In the "Movies" ..



MADAME EMMY DESTINN AND HER UNCONVENTIONAL AUDIENCE

Some Sensationalists
in the World's Eye

To the left is Miss Pearl Aufrere, the pretty young actress who is at present rehearsing for a new comedy to be produced shortly by Mrs. Patrick Campbell's son. Miss Aufrere was for some time one of the shining lights in the Hippodrome (London) "beauty chorus," and has been also at the London Gaity. She is engaged to Lord Danvers.

Madame Emmy Destinn and her unconventional audience is shown in an exclusive picture of the famous prima donna, Madame Emmy Destinn, who recently performed a remarkable feat of daring at Madame Aufrere's wedding, which also was filmed for leading part in "The Lion's Pride," an exciting cinema play. Madame Destinn entered a cage of ten lions, reputed to be very wild, which had been brought from the Hagenbeck Zoo. In the center was a man, on which a large lion reclined. The prima donna then sang an aria from "Mignon," at which, it is said, the beasts instantly ceased roaring, a further proof that "music hath charms," etc. Madame Destinn was quite unafraid.

The dances show three new photographs of that famous dancer, Lady Constance Stewart-Richardson, whose terpsichorean achievements have excited a good deal of comment on two continents. It is almost unnecessary to remind our readers that Lady Constance, who is the only sister of the Countess of Cromartie, continually displays a great amount of originality, independence and incidentally a good deal of a very charming figure.

METCHNIKOFF IMPORED
TO COME TO AMERICA

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Professor Metchnikoff, leading bacteriologist and discoverer of the efficacy of artificially soured milk in curing troubles of the stomach, is being continually implored to come to the United States, he said recently. Several other countries have offered him flattering posts, but he declares the only journey he will ever make is the journey to his grave from the Pasteur Institute.

This is a reference to his announcement that he has queathed his body to science.

The director of the Pasteur Institute insisted when he made his offer of his body that the remains be interred in the nearest cemetery to the Pasteur Institute.

He has expressly stipulated in his will that his body be carried no further from his home than Mont Parnasse Cemetery.

VARNISH MAY REPLACE
OPERATING GLOVES

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Dr. Dubard of Dijon invented an antiseptic varnish, which may supersede operating gloves for surgeons.

The operator, after washing his hands with soap and then in alcohol, steep them in a mixture composed of essence of juniper berries and an alcoholized solution of menthol. The evaporation of this mixture, which takes place rapidly

varnish behind. Unlike the operating gloves, the varnish in no way affects the surgeon's delicacy of touch.

It should prove to be a success it would be established that both countries can get along without any warships whatever at home, and this again would prove that navies are really superfluous. The proposal, of course, is a joke, but there is a good deal in the thought that lies behind it.

The editor of *Truth*, who is a most remarkable man, suggests that in case the German "naval bazaar" should prove to be a reality, there is another way of the present difficult position. He says, in thinking of sending two battleships to African ports, to allow the German flag to fly over them, but both countries send their men together on a friendly picnic around the world? If the experiment

NEWSPAPER MAN WINS
SMALL LIBEL VERDICT

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

PARIS, Dec. 13.—London newspaper men are smiling today over a libel verdict recovered by one of their own number.

The harsh English libel law can work both ways, Messrs. Percy Bono & Co., London lawyers, have found out.

The solicitors had up in court a case which Charles W. Atkins, a reporter for a news agency, did not consider of sufficient importance to chronicle. The lawyers were annoyed at this and wrote a letter to the news agency, suggesting that "Influence" had been brought to bear by the defendants to prevent publication.

The letter concluded:

"As a mere matter of curiosity, and of our own personal experience, we should deem it a favor if you would indicate to us what steps we ought to take when, on similar occasions, we wished a report to be suppressed."

"Can you tell us whom we ought to approach on the subject?"

The jury's finding judgment was entered for the plaintiff for \$125 and costs.

ASCEND MOST DIFFICULT
PEAK OF HIMALAYAS

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

TURIN, Dec. 13.—Dr. Lorenzo Borelli,

pedition, financed by the millionaire, Dr. Mario Piacenza, has just descended here the ascent of Mount Ken, 24,000 feet high, one of the most difficult of the Himalayas. It took 27 days of ice-climbing to reach the top of this almost inaccessible peak. During this time they camped on the ice.

The party spent four months in exploring totally unknown regions of the Himalayas, adjoining those the Duke of Abruzzi climbed.

A POSE FROM LADY
STEWART-RICHARDSON'S
NEW DANCE

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

MADRID, Dec. 13.—A strange story was brought to Corunna by a train which arrived there recently. The train entered the Oural tunnel, but gradually slackened speed until the train stopped, and then began to run backwards. The brakeman,

Fabio Garcia, was surprised that the train did not stop, although he promptly applied the brakes. He then proceeded towards the locomotive, and found the driver and stoker both unconscious, having fallen victims to the dense sulphurous fumes within the tunnel.

The passengers were beginning to feel the same symptoms of asphyxia, and a terrible catastrophe was feared.

Garcia then mounted the locomotive, and finding that there was sufficient steam pressure managed to get the train in motion, while the driver and fireman were transferred to a carriage and attended to. They were left at the next station, Monforte, without having recovered consciousness. The tunnel in question is nearly two miles long.

ANOTHER NAPOLEON.

INDIAN TERRORISTS USE
PAPER THAT EXPLODES

CALCUTTA, Dec. 13.—While examining

letter addressed to a newspaper, Lieutenant-Colonel Muspratt-Williams, chief inspector of explosives, was seriously burned, the letter proving to be explosive and firing up in the Colonel's face. The force of the explosion struck his waistcoat.

His moustache and eyebrows were burnt off and his face was burned.

This is a device utilized by the Indian terrorists. It was his real name. With

TWO GRACEFUL POSES
FROM LADY CONSTANCE
STEWART-RICHARDSON'S
NEW DANCEECCENTRIC ART IS
DISAPPOINTMENTOdd Features at Salon More
Sane Than Has Been
Customary.

(Special to THE TRIBUNE by International News Service.)

(By GEORGES DUFRESNE.)

PARIS, Dec. 13.—Those who have visited the Salon d'Automne in the hope of seeing it characterized by eccentric works of "art" have come away disappointed.

The so-called "wild beasts" have diminished in ferocity, and although there is a good deal of ultra-modern work, in the shapes of pictures by Cubists, in Adamists, Attemptists, Curvists, and the members of the "Nothing-at-allist" school, there

is evidence that sanity is steadily returning, although some of the paintings are weird enough in all conscience.

Just as the presence of so many foreign

University students is being objected to, so it is complained that the most eccentric

pictures nowadays exhibited in Paris are the work of young foreigners, who cut their artistic capers here. Whether the native or the foreign product is less trammeled by the usually recognized convention is, however, open to question.

HAS BECOME VULGAR.

Montmartre has been having it annual

but the habitues are disgusted with it and declare that it has become vulgar

and noisy. Not that your true Montmartre,

whether by birth or by adoption, objects to noise, and plenty of it, but hearing

steam organs have succeeded in destroying much of the old character of the fair

on the Martyr's Hill, as in the rest of

Paris. Moreover, the fairs have lost their former rustic simplicity, which was one

of their greatest charms. Pretentious booths, joy wheels and other exhibition

attractions have taken the place of the

out-domicile, profession, or resources

Napoleon was sent to the lock-up.

SECURED INVITATION.

The City of Brest has refused to invite

the President of the Republic on the

occasion of his approaching visit to Brit-

ain, and this is the reason why Brest

has a municipal council, of which the

Socialists form the majority. They are

intransigent at the scenes of enthusiasm

that accompany the visits of the

President to the country.

ANOTHER NAPOLEON.

peasant, and that fact alone

the mayor of Brest was "astonished"

that the question was so much as raised.

I learn now that the Council General and

the Chamber of Commerce will ask the

President to come all the same, and as

M. Poincaré asks for nothing better than

to make the acquaintance of political ad-

versaries, no doubt he will consent.

Never has a French President so

winner and attractive, and sooner or

later the whole country will be at his

back.

GERMANS LIKE
NEW U.S.
TARIFFBusiness Between Nation Will
Be Stimulated by
Beller.Krupp Trial Again Brought to
Attention in the
Empire.

(By FREDERIC WERNER.)

BERLIN, Dec. 13.—There is not the slightest doubt that German merchants and manufacturers are exceedingly well pleased with the new customs tariff of the United States and that it will stimulate them to make strong efforts to extend the German market in the states. It is impossible to read a German paper without noticing the new spirit of good will towards America which the revision of the American tariff has created. It has entirely taken the wind out of the sails of the Pan-Germanistic movement, and everywhere you hear the opinion expressed that there is really no longer any reason why the relations between the two countries should not be most cordial in every way. Germans fully realize how isolated they stand in Europe.

They are perfectly well aware that their country does not possess a single friend here and that every effort should be

Life Is Worth Living at 93, Says Veteran Artist

Alban Jasper Conant
Relates Incidents of
Lincoln

IHAD voted for Henry Clay. I have listened to the voice of Daniel Webster. I have painted the portrait of Abraham Lincoln. I have known great soldiers, statesmen, authors, artists. Ninety-two years have I lived and worked. And now, in my ninety-third year, I can say that life is good. I'm in no hurry to say "good-bye" to it.

This is Alban Jasper Conant's verdict on life after almost a hundred years of experience. He gave it the other day sitting in the Tenth street New York studio he has occupied for 32 years. Although the day was

leading on to a balcony. The cool wind ruffled his white hair, but he seemed to mind it as little as if he had been one of the portraits on the walls and easels around him.

These portraits are the last of scores that he has painted. There have been so many of them, in fact, that he said he could not even guess at their number. The first one was painted 73 years ago, and he has been at it ever since. In a working career of almost four score years, he has had the opportunity to study men of erect and varied attainments, but when he was asked which of them had the most interesting and impressive personality he did no hesitating.

"Abraham Lincoln," he said, and added slowly: "he grew upon you like the dim vision of a mountain. Seen at first as a mere elevation breaking the line of the horizon, its real majesty and beauty becomes apparent as you draw nearer to it and see its great forests, its purple shadows, its rugged escarpments. It was like a mountain that Lincoln towered above other men, and the nearer you came to him the more conscious you became of the greatness and the beauty of his character."

HE SAW LINCOLN IN 1860.

"The first time I saw him was in September, 1860, two months before the Presidential election. I had been commissioned by the Hon. William McPherson of St. Louis, where I was living then, to go to Springfield and paint a portrait of the candidate.

Armed with my letters of introduction I presented myself one morning at Mr. Lincoln's office in the old State House. There I had my first glimpse of him. He was standing at the other end of the room, surrounded by his friends, his face alight with interest and pleasure, smiling genial—an astounding contrast to the serious, homely pictures of him with which I had become familiar.

"That's I said to myself, 'is the way I am going to paint him?'

"But when I went to his office the next morning to begin work and he turned from his heap-up desk and threw himself wearily into a chair, I looked at him in dismay. All the life and light had gone out of his face. It had settled into heavy, sagging lines, and I was confronted with the alternative of painting the same sort of portrait others had made or of stirring him somehow to vivid interest again.

"I determined to make a try for the latter. So I led him to talk about the Douglas debate, and fortunately that succeeded. Among other things in that connection he said that he had never engaged in any other enterprise with such reluctance and so great an apprehension.

"Douglas is the idol of his friends and justly so," he said, "for he is a man of great ability."

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THE SOARING EGG; AND TROUBLE

The Women and Their Tribulations; Also the

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"Oh, the eggs rose high 'Till they reached the sky. Oh, it 'ay-he-hoo! Lay-he-hoo!" (Lay of the Last Consumer) They rose and they rose, and now they say that pullets are laying, and that it's going to bring the 70-cent beauties down 50 per cent. Egg shampoos are forgotten, poached eggs on toast were considered a treat for the gods, and no one smiled but the refrigerator man. Eggs were indeed bleak, and the public cried in egg-longing agony at the high cost of living. The eggs at least, at the high cost of living.

Just as the women of many large cities were planning an egg boycott—and what else could they do?—the pullets laid, and all is now on the road to serenity again. Scientists and pseudoscientists have in the past been rather fond of estimating the exact year when the human race will outlast itself; when food production will have failed to keep pace with the growth of population, and the world will go on short commons. It's a long way off, despite the high price of eggs, but speculations on the subject tend to make one delightfully low-spirited, and do no particular harm.

Says the Chicago News, commenting on a few of these cheerful and remote speculations as to how we will eat in ages to come:

The world in future ages will have to feed everybody somehow or civilization as it now achievement will end the human race upon a blind alley. But while the pessimists are figuring out ultimate destruction a certain Welsh chemist is planning to make the cultivation of fertile fields a crude relic of barbarism. Whether his plan is of value or not, it at least offers a refreshing contrast to the starvation statistics of various impulsive men of science.

NEW SCIENTIFIC WORK.

This Welsh chemist, Alfred Williams, by name, says that the best way to raise wheat is to build some sort of rough structure several stories high, place sand or fine gravel on the floors, impregnate this covering with a nitrate solution of his invention, sow wheat upon it, provide heat and light by electric wires and tubes and thus grow a bountiful crop of grain in the space of two months. Mr. Williams asserts that his system is a demonstrated success and that he has not only raised a fine grade of wheat in this manner, but also lettuce, mustard, and cress.

Figure it out for yourself. Suppose you cover an acre of stony ground with a five-story structure and then raise six crops of wheat each year. You have prodded the world with 30 acres of wheat, where none could grow or could grow before. Add five or ten stories more to your building and double or treble your output. Then guess where the cheerful Welshman is a mere dreamer or is really about to put the starvationists out of business.

The egg situation, however, to come back to earth—or at least straw—has been felt. In the height of the egg prices, the Buffalo News voices Buffalo's views of the situation as follows:

"The egg situation is a trying one. It is less trying in Buffalo than elsewhere, but even here it is not without its difficulties. New York quotes eggs at 65 to 70 cents. Buffalo guarantees the best of fresh eggs at 12 cents and almost the best at 30. The announcement is made in New York that some thousand of crates of eggs are on the way over from Austria, and it is expected that a great quantity will be imported in the course of the next year."

STILL NEED EGGS.

When eggs were free in other countries, they still needed them so much that they imported largely from America. Now that eggs are free coming in, it does not alter the trade demands in the least, nor give us any assurance that there can be such importation from any source as to knock the egg market down to something like a reasonable cost for that highly important food supply.

People do not always stop to think that there are about 100,000,000 Americans and that their consumption of food is simply stupendous in quantity and that the nations which have staple foods to spare are to be counted on the fingers of about one hand.

It is not generally known, we suspect, that our exports of eggs average about fifteen times as much as our imports. The latest figures available on that point gave the exports in excess of 15,000,000 dozen for the preceding year, while the imports amounted to a little over 1,000,000 dozen. If foreign countries were taking so very large a proportion of eggs out of this country, one may guess about what chance there is of reversing the process, merely because the duty is taken off from eggs coming this way.

THE SEATTLE TIMES speaks against high egg prices, said:

"Public indignation against the high price of eggs has manifested itself in Seattle. This city has joined the procession of angry municipalities which vigorously resent the steady advances in the price of this commodity."

WOMEN IN BOYCOTT.

Just as in other cities, the chief directors here are women. They are to blame for the high egg prices which is the chief basis of complaints that are voiced throughout the country.

The American public, patient and long-suffering, has not so much objected to high and even five-cent eggs as it has to the fact that these same eggs were purchased a few weeks ago at cold storage interests in about fifteen cents per dozen.

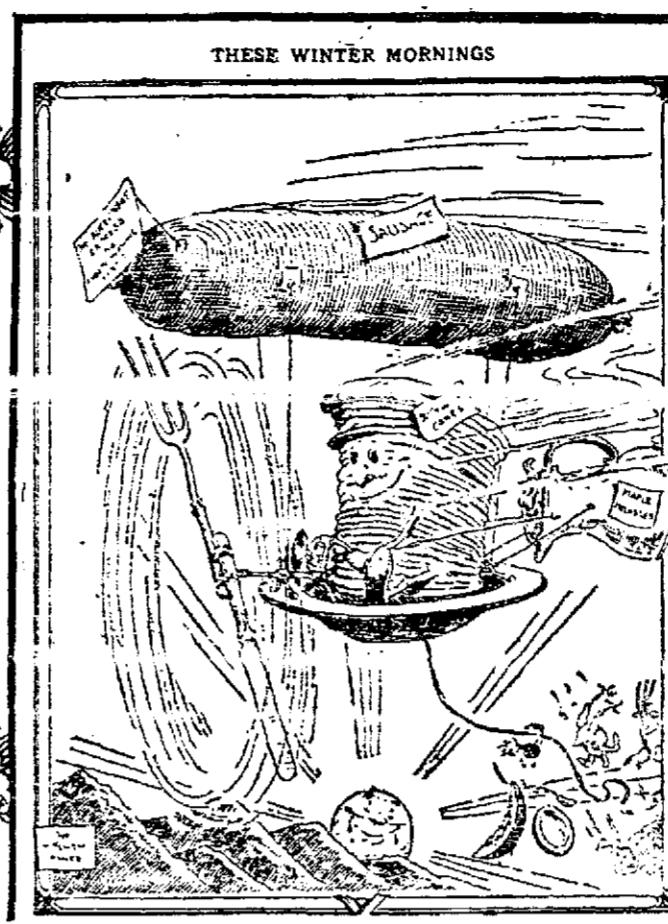
A few hundred per cent profit in New York has proved a little too much for even the American public—indeed to relate, the chief complaint is that women are the chief conservative half of humanity.

The women, as egg boycott is also on. The same tactics that are used against the beef trust are used against the cold storage interests. The women figure that if they can get eggs down, and that too on the grand scale.

BOYS AND THE COUNTRY.

The problem of keeping boys in the country seems correlated with the purposes of the Boston department of recreation, and a suggestion, on similar lines, but better suited to the country, is offered by the Chicago Record-Herald in the following:

Funny Side of Serious Things



COLUMBUS DISPATCH

A Good Many Will Try It.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE AS DELIVERED IN PERSON

Sincerity and Simplicity Marks Wilson's Act; Document is Highly Praised

HEN President Wilson read his message to Congress, he appeared in person. Without assigning a particular reason for this innovation, it can fairly be inferred when the

language is susceptible to double interpretation, and that much depends upon deal with greater industrial corporations. It is known, too, that further action is contemplated to reduce the power of a few men over the credit and capital resources of the country.

And finally the President has suggested the beginning of a process that ought to make possible honest elections as a free expression of the people's will—a fundamental reform that will make possible every other advance.

The development of this plan is one of the most important political undertakings of the generation.

PRaise of Opponents.

For those who entertain the partisan view that "the business of the opposition" under a system of party government "is to oppose," the Chicago Record-Herald brings the following:

According to the Washington correspondent of The Record-Herald Senator Root not only praised the spirit and tone of the President's message, but concurred in the views therein expressed on money and credit trusts, and even the Philippine significance of this is manifest. The news will be distinctly unpleasant to the Penroses, who "knock" for the sake of knocking, or who affect to believe what they would like to believe.

Representative Mann, who did himself a severe injustice in his flippant comments on the President's currency address, now rises to the occasion and pays a tribute to the statesmanlike spirit of the more general message. He may not, he says, endorse certain details, but that is of little moment. What matters is that an able, strong, unselfish, progressive man is at the helm, and that he knows what he wants and wants in the main the right and wholesome things.

It is the business of honest opponents to endorse the party in power when it serves the country, and to criticize it when it does not, quite as much as it is their business to attack for cause and expose what they really regard as blunders and sins fraught with peril to the country.

WILSON ON NOMINATIONS.

On that portion of the message dealing with the subject of presidential nominations, the St. Louis Times says:

The national conventions of 1912 were scarcely satisfactory to the public, or to the professional politicians. All that was faulty and uncertain in the practice of nominating presidential candidates by delegates developed.

Unquestionably the sense of the Baltimore convention was that Champ Clark was the man of the hour of the occasion. His nomination was defeated solely through the efforts of Mr. Bryan, who, after the results of his work at Baltimore had crystallized, was given a post of honor which, we may believe, he would never have obtained through the voice of the people, if the office had been within the public's control.

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Here is one of the secrets or, rather, one of the reasons for the serious increase in the expense of existence in the United States. The cost of living has mounted everywhere throughout the world, but nowhere more rapidly than over the table, so much as in this country. Every one of us wastes—producer, distributor, consumer alike—even if many of us practice economy and save some money. Americans as a rule live not only well, but almost as prodigal sons. Cooks daily make garbage of almost good food to feed another family than the employer's. It remains as true as when first said, if it has not since become truer, that a French family lives comfortably on what an American family wastes."

-ST LOUIS TIMES

BUFFALO EVENING NEWS

Penalty for Early Shopping.

-By Webster



-BUFFALO EVENING NEWS

FINANCING CHARITY; PLAINT OF "SPUGS"

Charity, its methods, its financing, and "Spugs."

"During the yuletide season, when charity is at its very height, and consequently "Spugs" are heard from, no end of controversy arises over what to give, when to give it and why. That much money is wasted in charity, speaking of practical results, is asserted.

Others declare that money spent in charity is never wasted, even if it is scattered about in a most inefficient way.

Scientific scientists and "Spugs" are very much in the same boat — would spend money for charity as for business, to get the greatest results for the expenditure.

The controversy runs along quietly, cheerfully, and still the money goes.

Whether scientific giving is better conditions or not is a question that resolves itself for settlement to an argument between the Associated Charities and the Socialist party—and they haven't started it yet.

To capitalize industry is a feat requiring training and capacity, even when based on production that assures returns.

How much more wonderful, however, is the capitalization of charity, from which the investor can expect no financial reward.

Good faith of the New York workers,

such an enormous undertaking naturally gives rise to one sober thought.

Does the success of a \$4,000,000 cam-

paign militate against the success of other worthy charities that also must seek assistance from the public purse?

Recent attempts to collect for chari-

ties, particularly hospitals, in the post-

offices of the land, have been heard of.

Particularly in St. Louis was there a

considerable argument over the matter, when the postmaster there voiced decided

objections to the plan. An editorial in

the St. Louis Times sums the situation as follows:

A point which ought not to be over-

looked in the situation involving Post-

master Selph and the officers of the

Hospital Saturday and Sunday Asso-

ciation, is that the Postmaster is not

likely to diminish the efficiency of the

organization in question by ruling that the Postoffice is not the proper

place for collections for a charity fund.

People who visit the Postoffice on

those days during which the collec-

tions are to be made are very likely

to visit other buildings or places

where collections are permitted. Cer-

tainly those who are highly in sympa-

thy with the work of the associa-

tion will have no trouble at all in

finding a place where they can make

contributions.

The work of the Postoffice is some-

what peculiar, in many ways. A ma-

jority of people who have business in

that building are nearly always hu-

ried, and the red tape which attends all duties in which the hand of the Government appears is sufficient hindrance for those who go to the Postoffice, without the addition of other duties.

Moreover, as it is the Postmaster who is responsible for the work of the Postoffice, it would seem fair to presume that he ought to be permitted to conduct his office in his own way.

Again we suggest that the Hospital Association is not likely to lose anything by the exclusion of collectors from the Postoffice. There will be no lack of places where those who wish to give may do so, and we would not assume that the officers of the associa-

tion desire any contributions which are not made in a wholly voluntary manner.

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These are the offensive initials



THE COWBOY MINSTREL WITH ALICE LLOYD MACDONOUGH

MACDONOUGH

Apropos of the forthcoming exhibition of the Captain Robert Falcon Scott's moving pictures of the Antarctic at the Macdonough Theater commencing December 14, and playing with daily matinees for one week a few pertinent facts about life in that rigid zone may prove of timely interest: The only animal life to be encountered down there comes out of the sea. Enroute to the South Pole is found some feathered life, notably the queer little penguin. These birds are unable to fly, their wings being merely flappers not unlike the seal. They stand erect and can run at a terrific speed.

One of the strange sights recorded is that of a Weddel seal sawing its way through its teeth. The camera caught this giant in the very act of cutting steps in the ice.

The exploring party discovered that the water of the sea was at least 70 degrees warmer than the air and that the instant they drew a fish out of the water it froze stiff. At times in the Antarctic, the sun beats down with such intense heat that the men found their clothing almost unbearable.

One of the most effective films secured was taken by the light of the midnight sun at 2 o'clock in the morning on the brink of the great ice barrier and depicts the little party of five on the last lap of the journey. Captain Scott, Dr. Wilson, Petty Officer Evans, Captain Gates and Lieutenant Bowers.

The film, "The Undying Story of Captain Scott" and "Animal Life in the Antarctic" belong to the widows and orphans of the self-sacrificed heroes who receive 75 per cent of the net profits of all exhibitions.

ALICE LLOYD COMING

Manager Giese of the Macdonough has arranged for the appearance of Alice Lloyd, the twirling star of two companies of 75 artists December 21 to 24, with matinees daily.

A promising feature of the big show will be a dance review of all nations entitled "Dance Mad," offering a realistic glimpse of the famous "Jardin de Danse" atop of the New York Theater, New York, together with a vivid interpretation of the Cabaret life in New York and Paris. The sensational X-Ray dance will be introduced in this part of the program. Another big feature on the bill will be Frank Fogarty, the King of entertainers.

THE MULE-MAN.

There's a brain, a very active brain, inside the funny old head of Hank, the mule, one of the leading features of "The Tik-Tok Man of Oz," which Oliver Morosco will present at the Macdonough December 25 to 27, with a Christmas matinee. The brain belongs to Fred Woodward, who for 15 years has been playing important parts in all kinds of attractions, but whose face has never been seen by an audience. Woodward has played almost every kind of an animal that ever lived, in or out of the ring.

"The very first animal I ever attempted to characterize," says Woodward, "was a strayed enough a mule. It is coincidence I am as much as my mule in 'The Tik-Tok Man of Oz' is almost an exact counterpart of the animal I first entered."

"My real chance came with the opening of 'The Wizard of Oz' twelve years ago, and for the next four seasons I played the lion and the cow in that production. Then Flo Ziegfeld engaged me in 1909 to join his production. 'The Folies,' and I became an ostrich on that occasion, doing a dance with Eva Tanguay. The following season I was an owl, a stock and a bull frog with 'The Folies.'

OPHEUM.

One of the greatest novelties in the world of music is to be offered at the Oakland Orpheum today, when the fam-

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They are twins, and not twins alone in appearance but twins in the matter of voice. Each is a famous prima donna.

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the Oakland Orpheum is naturally expected and that they will also provide a rich treat for music lovers is a foregone conclusion.

GOULD AND ASHLYN.

Here's Billy Gould and Belle Ashlyn. To the vast majority who have acquired the vaudeville habit, the mere announcement of their appearance is sufficient. For others, however, Mr. Gould and Miss Ashlyn have a penetrating ray of sunniness that dispels the clouds of gloom. Their followers have the habit of setting their faces for a smile when announcement cards set forth the time of their performance.

It is a question whether John E. Hazard is best known as a comedian or an author. His series of verses, "Ain't It Awful, Mabel," have been universally read and laughed at, while his splendid character comedy creations in a dozen musical comedies, in the last of which he enjoyed featured distinction, have made him an actor of enormous popularity.

An eccentric comedy skit which combines singing, dancing and piano playing with a farcical element, called "The Happy Medium," is made to revolve at the high-laughs producing pace by Clayton Kennedy and Matt Rooney, who style themselves "the original vaudevillians." Kennedy and Rooney have fortunate personalities and are fortunate in building up their "Happy Medium" to its present high gear of laughter with the singing and dancing punctuations.

WORLD'S BEST VENTRIOQUIST.

Marshall Montgomery is considered to be the world's best ventriloquist today. This seems like extravagant praise, but after having seen him and compared him with all the others, better known and more often seen, it will be seen that he accomplishes ventriloquial features never before attempted in his line, and that his performance includes more novel features and sensational touches than all the others in his class combined.

The La Toy Brothers have an acrobatic novelty that rises to the dignity of being a sure fire, pantomime comedy. One attends strictly to tumbling and whirling in straightforward fashion while the other is a clever tumbling and whirling jazz comedian. The jazz comedian with a modern "essence of Old Virginia" introduces many intricate steps with perfect ease and grace. Their act is done in a parlor set, and from beginning to end they carry out the pantomime comedy idea.

FINGER SHADOWIST.

Lea Durbyelle, the world's only lady finger shadowist, is to contribute a decided interesting novelty, which should prove to be thoroughly acceptable entertainment. Her skill in forming shadow pictures with her supple fingers has made her prominent among vaudeville artists in nearly every part of the world.

Edna Munsey, known as "the beautiful girl with the beautiful voice," will charm those who take pleasure in hearing delightful songs rendered by a beautiful woman.

The motion pictures will be as usual exclusive Orpheum pictures, giving the world's news in picture form.

OAKLAND PHOTO

"THE SEA WOLF."

Patrons of the Oakland Theater are promised a program of remarkable excellence. Robert Bowditch presents Jack London's virile classic, "The Sea Wolf." The film version of "The Sea Wolf," a "wonder story" done in a wonderful way, opens its engagement at the Oakland Theater today and continues until Wednesday night.

Of all London's works, "The Sea Wolf" is probably the most interesting to us of Oakland and the bay counties. Many of the scenes of the story are set in Oakland and vicinity. They too the picture was actually photographed with each scene at its own particular spot under the personal supervision of London.

This gives the picture the proper atmosphere and as a result there are absolutely no minor errors in settings. The scenery is real, when the film calls for a scene in San Francisco one can recognize familiar landmarks because they are really there, and the camera does not miss. There are no stiff stage effects so common in the poorer class of motion pictures, for this is truly a photo play de luxe. The ferry boat collision on San Francisco bay is extremely realistic in its portrayal, and we who know the ferries and the bay so well can have absolutely no fault to find.

The film production follows closely the printed novel. We are introduced to Humphrey Van Weden at Mill Valley and see him leave for San Francisco. The

erry boat collision, which we are next shown fully equals anything in the spectacular line ever screened.

Van Weden is picked up by the Sea Wolf's vessel, "The Sea Wolf," and develops into a real sailor. Mabel Brewster is later introduced as a survivor from the steamer "City of Tokio."

Fifteen feet of the film is given over

to a welcome glimpse of Jack London at work in his out-of-door workshop at Glen Ellen, California.



MISS VIOLET ASQUITH (LEFT) AND COUNTESS ABERDEEN. MISS ASQUITH RECENTLY POSED FOR CHARITY.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—Members of royalty and those in high social station today declare that one of the most telling tabloids seen at the "picture ball," given in Albert Hall by Countess Aberdeen in aid of London's Invalid Kitchen, was that posed by Miss Violet Asquith, the Premier's daughter, who appeared before the immense throng of attendants in the likeness of Lipp's "Angel Gabriel." During an interval in the dancing, in which all the guests participated, Miss Asquith posed for a few moments under the glare of a powerful calcium light, giving her representation a wonderful brilliancy.

A fanfare of trumpets heralded the attention was that posed by Lady Randolph Churchill, representing "Empress Theodora," taken from a Byzantine mosaics at Ravenna. The whole series of living pictures is described as a veritable dream of beauty.

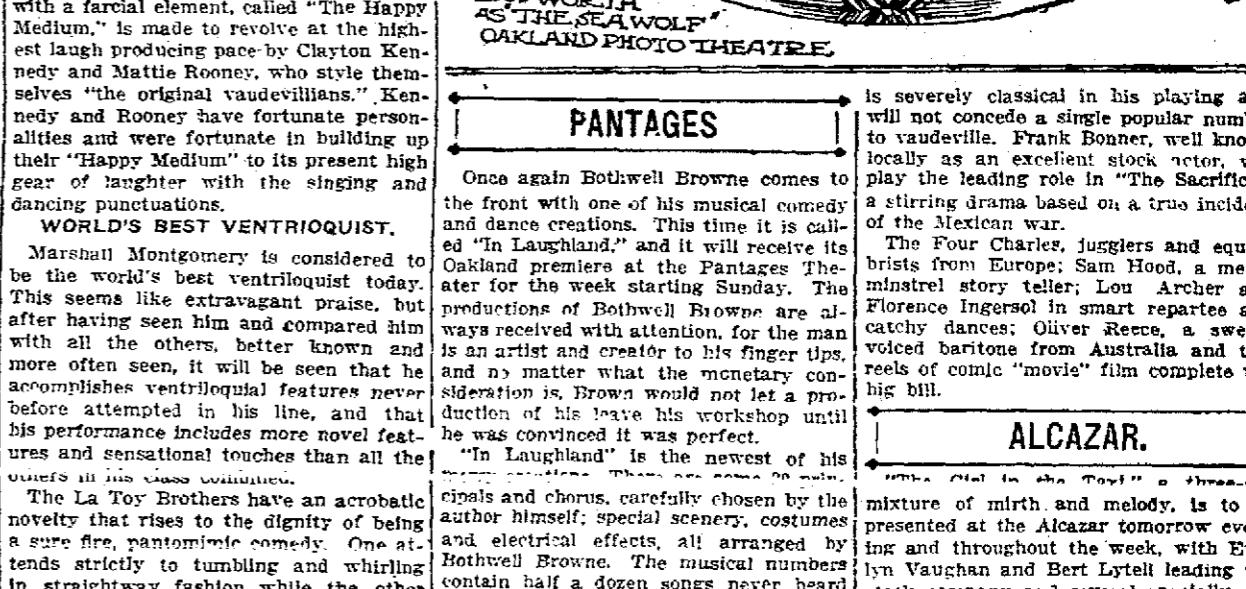
The hall was hung with draperies of orange and crimson, with crepe paper garlands of black, while shields bearing the names of the great painters whose works were represented in tabloids posed other prominent women.



MARIE MCFARLAND OAKLAND ORPHEUM



ALEXANDER KAMINSKY IMPERIAL RUSSIAN VIOLINIST PANTAGES



HOBART BOTHWORTH AS THE SEA WOLF OAKLAND PHOTO THEATRE

Once again Bothwell Browne comes to the front with one of his musical comedy and dance creations. This time it is called "In Laughland," and it will receive its Oakland premiere at the Pantages Theater for the week starting Sunday. The productions of Bothwell Browne are always received with attention, for the man is an artist and creator to his finger tips, and no matter what the monetary consideration is, Browne would not let a production of his leave his workshop until he was convinced it was perfect.

"In Laughland" is the newest of his productions. There are scenes on music, comedy, special scenery, costumes and electrical effects, all arranged by Bothwell Browne. The musical numbers contain half a dozen songs never heard before, and the dance steps are such as only a Bothwell Browne could devise. Manager Pantages proclaims Browne to be the best producer of tabloid shows in this country, and Pantages shows know he has paid many thousands of dollars to find it out.

Another notable contribution to the program will be Alexander Kaminsky, the noted Russian violinist, accompanied on the piano by Miss Vaughan. The Russian

is severely classical in his playing and will not concede a single popular number to vaudeville. Frank Bonner, well known locally as an excellent stock actor, will play the leading role in "The Sacrifice," a stirring drama based on a true incident of the Mexican war.

The Four Charles, jugglers and equilibrists from Europe; Sam Hood, a merry minstrel story teller; Lou Archer and Florence Ingersoll in smart repartees and catchy dances; Oliver Reece, a sweet-voiced baritone from Australia and two reels of comic "movie" films complete the big bill.

ALCAZAR.

ALCAZAR. "ALCAZAR IN THE Tropics" is a three-part mixture of mirth and melody, to be presented at the Alcazar tomorrow evening and throughout the week, with Evelyn Vaughan and Bert Lytell leading the stock company and several especially engaged artists, including the popular singing comedienne, Myrtle Dingwall.

All the principals will be heard in song. Mr. Lytell and Miss Dingwall are sure to be pleasing in the pretty duet, "Kiss Me," and the popular leading man is scheduled to sing "A Member of the Midnight Crew." "When a Maid Comes Knocking at Your Heart" is the prettiest number in Miss Vaughan's selection.

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OF THE BROADWAY PLAYERS IN THEIR TREMENDOUS SUCCESS.

Kissing a Dangerous Habit, Says Lillian Russell

"THERE IS FAR TOO MUCH KISSING IN GENERAL SOCIETY, SETTING ASIDE FOR THE MOMENT THE SANITARY VIEW OF THE TOPIC. ONE SHOULD BE MORE THAN AN AGREEABLE ACQUAINTANCE BEFORE SHE PRESUMES THAT IT WILL BE CONVENIENT AND ACCEPTABLE TO YOU TO HAVE HER KISS YOU, EVEN ON THE CHEEK. IT IS THE MOST EMPTY OF SALUTATIONS AS USUALLY OFFERED."

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THAT kissing is a dangerous habit is an opinion that has long been held by medical men generally. From their point of view kissing is insanitary. There is so much throat trouble, influenza, and even consumption, that when two people meet and kiss, if only to touch the cheek or lip, there is danger of contagion. No wonder that diseases spread so rapidly. In these enlightened days it seems absurd to greet a friend with a kiss. There is nothing conveyed in the simple act of touching lips or cheek. And in many cases it is done to throw off a person's real feelings. Haven't you seen two women rush at each other, embrace, and kiss each other, and then the moment one of them is out of sight the other proceeds to banter the absent one? What was conveyed in their kiss? Nothing but deceit.

Kissing should be a sacred sacrament, for mother to babe, and for lovers. The act should not be desecrated nor made common. There are several countries where kissing is unknown. And those countries seem to get along nicely without it. Which proves that it is not at all necessary as a profession of love and friendship.

The saddest cases are those of the helpless little children, who cannot prevent grown people from grabbing them up and kissing them. There should be a law against that. No end of harm may come to the innocent baby, and no real benefit is derived by the one who attacks the child. A handshake and a true look in the eye can convey affection and love as effectually as a kiss on the lips or cheek. Children do not like to be kissed as a rule, so parents should forbid their little ones to kiss other children, or allow any one to kiss them, for sanitary reasons, if not for the reason of too much familiarity.

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Promiscuous Kissing Condemned.

Writers upon sanitation are most emphatic in their condemnation of the practice of promiscuous kissing. They point out the fact, which is familiar to all of us that disease is more rapidly conveyed into the system by inhalation of the breath of the invalid than by any other method except perhaps by inoculation.

In many cases the contact of the lips is literally a kiss of death. The mouth of the human is always full of germ life. No matter how often or how thoroughly it be cleansed the germs are there, waiting for a chance to start an infection. Tuberculosis, diphtheria, blood poison, and a hundred other germ hordes are often present, even in the apparently sound and healthy individual.

One of the first rules posted by fighters of tuberculosis in the homes of the sick is that no kissing shall be permitted between the patient and any other members of the family. It is a safeguard that preserves thousands of lives when observed.

For a generation war has been waged upon the kissing habit. We kiss in our homes and custom demands that we kiss in public places, and the habit is growing. Kissing is full of peril, and it is not only a fond but a wise mother who hangs a real or imaginary placard above the baby's head: "Please don't kiss the baby."

How often a child's nurse on her course through the park is arrested by gushing girls and older women who "just adore children and must kiss the little angel." Instead of regarding the trespasser as only impudent and ill bred, her offense should be punishable by law.

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Precautions Against Contagion.

In carrying out the principle of intelligent protection of health and life sensible parents have banished double beds from the nursery, and a feverish child is isolated at once until the nature of the indisposition is made manifest. Children are taught from their infancy that it is not "nice" to eat from a spoon or fork or to drink from a cup that has been touched to another person's mouth. Each member of the family has his or her own towel and wash cloth or sponge in the bathroom, and to use by accident a toothbrush belonging to another is a disaster too repulsive to be spoken of.

Let with all this and other precautions against contagion and infection, kissing upon the mouth—a direct invitation to both—goes on unabated. There is nothing more objectionable in my mind than when acquaintances insist upon pressing their lips to mine after eating onions or taking medicine, or, perhaps worst of all, perfuming the breath with patent "sweetener." One should be sure that one's breath is not merely healthful, but that it is not of offense before another and an innocent person is invited to it?

Remember: A kiss means nothing without the thought behind it, and so many of them are thoughtless.

The man whose breath reeks with stale cigar smoke has no right to outrage a woman's or a child's sense of smell by kissing her or it. As for the drunkard's breath, there is nothing more insulting or odious to a woman of any degree of refinement than to be forced to accept a kiss from such.

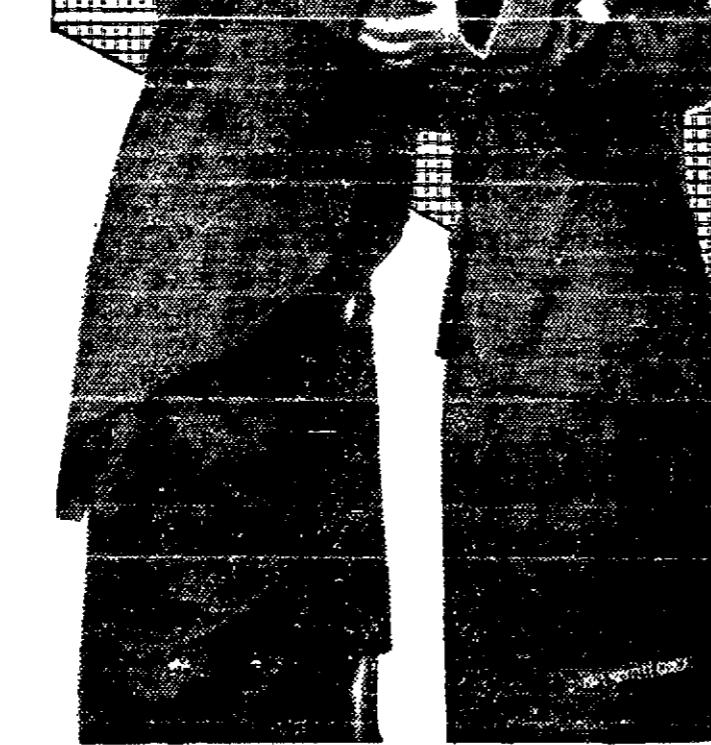
There is far too much kissing in general society, running aside for the moment the sanitary view of the subject. One should be more than an agreeable



Children Do Not Like to Be Kissed. Why Should They Be Made to Submit to It?



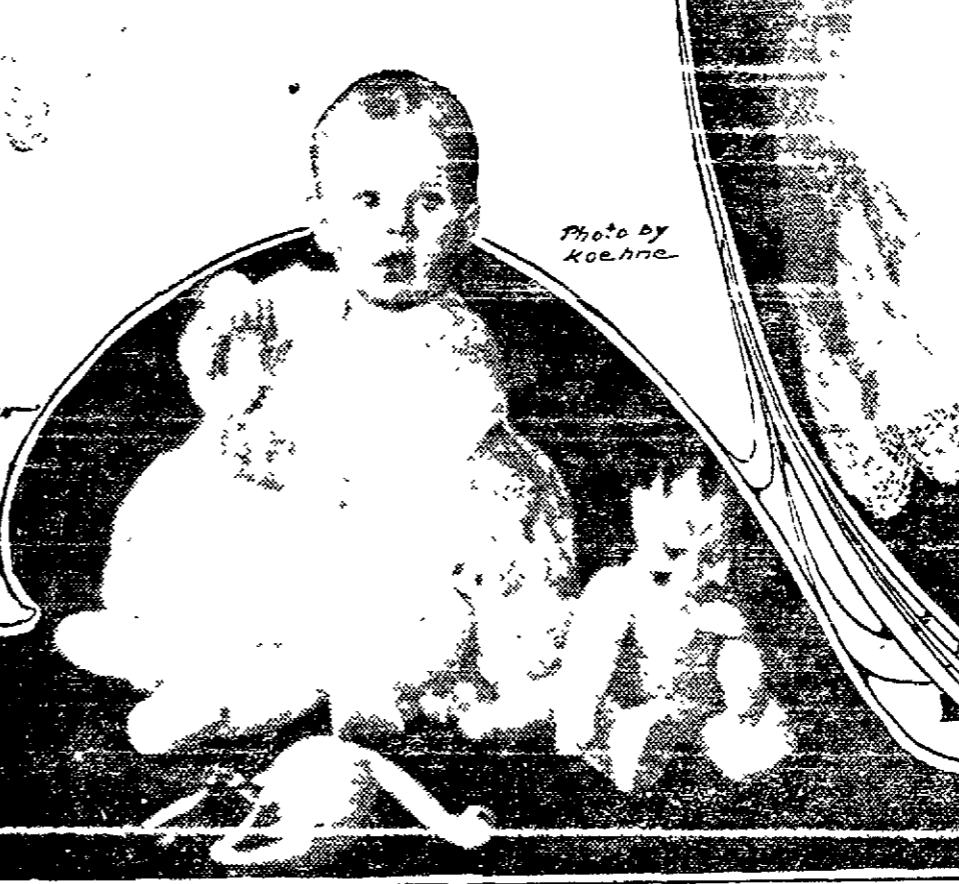
Dorothy Dulac



Women Rush At Each Other Embrace and Kiss With No Meaning of Affection or Even Friendship



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No Matter How Great the Temptation Please Don't Kiss the Baby.



A Mother Cannot Be Too Jealous of Her Child's Lips

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A Hand Shake and a True Look in the Eye Convey Affection and Love More Effectually Than a Kiss

ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES.

N. G.: There is nothing better for making the chest high, developing the bust, and straightening the round shoulders than deep breathing. It should be practiced constantly. When walking get into the habit of breathing deeply. Practice it for about five minutes in the morning upon arising and the same amount of time

PEARL K.: I do not advise you to steam your face; it leaves the skin in the same condition as the hands of the woman who does laundry work—shriveled, with the skin almost ready to peel, and without elasticity. The best way of applying hot water is by using soft cloths, and then the water should be only pleasantly warm, not hot enough to give the least sensation of

H. J.: I do not believe in internal remedies for reducing the bust, or, in fact, for any beautyills. It is slow, tedious work to reduce the bust and must be accompanied by obesity regimen besides local treatment. Any vigorous exercise that involves the muscles of the chest will help to reduce the bust. Exercises with chest weights are also good. In the beginning the weights should not be over two and one-half pounds. The weight may be gradually increased

to five pounds according to the increase of your strength. Each movement is practiced from ten to fifteen times. Overfatigue is harmful and not helpful. If you will send me a stamped addressed envelope I shall be glad to send you a formula for reducing the bust.

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MISS L. A.: The first thing to do for corns is to relieve them of all pressure. A perforated corn plaster may be used, or a disk of white felt or chamois with a hole in the center. The feet are soaked in warm water and the corn picked out but no instrument should be used which has not been sterilized—that is, by dipping it in boiling water. A good lotion for corns is composed of salicylic acid and camphor.

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MRS. T.: It does not harm the hair to use a comb, but one must be careful that none of the teeth are broken or rough, for this will break the hair. Brushing is excellent for the hair. The hair should be brushed at least 100 strokes at night, after taking it down. This gives the hair life. I think a long bristled brush, not too stiff, is the best for brushing the hair. I do not advise the use of wire brushes. They are too stiff, and you are in danger of breaking the hair off. One must be careful, too, in combing the hair. If the hair has become matted, take a small strand and comb with the coarse end of the comb, starting from the bottom and working up. This prevents pulling the hair out in long strands. I am sending you instructions for scalp massage. I am sure they will help you.

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E. B.: Rubbing the ankles will diminish their size. Rubbing the body vigorously and picking up the flesh with the fingers and breaking up the fat cells with camphor is good. There are no baths that will reduce the flesh without exercise and diet. It seems to me from your letter that deep breathing will do you more good than anything else, and if this would add to this walking in the open air I think you would get back your strength. Send me a stamped, addressed envelope and I shall send you instructions for deep breathing.

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MRS. E. M. G.: I do not see why you wear a rat when you have such beautiful hair. As you are rather taller than the average I should advise you to wear your hair dressed low. Part it down the center and take it back from the face with a bandeau. Coil the hair quite low in the nape of the neck. You are a fair blonde and will find all shades of blonde from blonde to blonde, lemon color, maize, amber, pale salmon and pale coral pinks, golden brown, tan, fawn, pale yellow, dark red, black, white, and cream. You can wear all the shades that belong to the genuine blonde, but must choose the pale or pastel, rather than the vivid tones. You are too young and entirely too slender to wear black. You must look extremely tall and thin in a black dress. White is becoming to you and, of course, blue.

SOCIETY

ONE of the most important gatherings on either side of the bay last week was the large reception given at the St. Francis in honor of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst. It was in a way a revival of the old custom that used to prevail in University circles to give a large reception once a year in San Francisco in the Mark Hopkins Institute of Art. It was always extremely well attended—much better than any of the receptions given at Berkeley. There was an added reason for the success of this reception, in that it afforded compliment to Mrs. Hearst and it manifested a tokens of admiration and appreciation of all her generosity, of her bountiful giving to the University.

The reception at the St. Francis was attended by over a thousand guests, and was one of the most brilliant affairs given in many months across the bay. The orchestra was stationed in one of the side boxes, and played delightful music throughout the evening. The University Glee Club was present also, and jolly college songs rang through the hotel, adding to the brilliancy of a gay scene. The Glee Club gave "California Alma Mater" with so much energy and sentiment that an enthusiastic encore was demanded. It was the most remarkable audience that has assembled at any affair in San Francisco in years. There were distinguished professional men, successful business men, city and state officials, and women who have taken a prominent part in the philanthropies and other activities of this city. The best men and women of the state assembled to do honor to Mrs. Hearst, who deserved all the compliments and appreciation that could be offered her by the alumni of the University of California.

There were many class reunions during the evening, and a general feeling of great good comradeship was a keynote of the reception. In the receiving line were Dr. Mathews, president of the Association of Class Secretaries; David Barrows, acting president of the University, and Mrs. Barrows, Mr. and Mrs. James K. Moffitt, Mrs. Le Conte, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elston, and representing the regents were Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Earl, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Bowles.

Mrs. Hearst's gown was very lovely. She is fond of grays, and of soft weaves, and of quiet lavenders, and for the reception on Thursday evening she chose a beautiful costume. It was of brocade in gray and silver, the silver patterns following a wreath and flower design. The bodice and angel sleeves were of exquisite real lace, and the ornaments worn with the gown were diamonds.

Her bouquet was of handsome orchids. Mrs. Hearst made a charming study of a woman exquisitely elegant and sympathetic and well bred. Mrs. Barrows wore a gown of black with white lace on the skirt and bodice. A bit of American Beauty satin added a touch of brightness to the gown.

Mrs. Earl, Mrs. Moffitt and Mrs. Bowles are all from our side of the bay, and they looked extremely well. Mrs. Earl always dressed in exceedingly good taste, and her gown of pale pink crepe, trimmed in rare lace was most effective. Mrs. James K. Moffitt, who was the beautiful Pauline Fore, wore a New York gown of black crepe satin, with diamond ornaments. Mrs. Foster's gown was also of black with handsome gold lace outlining the bodice. Mrs. Bowles, who returned recently from New York, wore a Paris gown showing the black and white effects so popular in the French city. Her gown was of blacks and silver brocade with white lace trimmings.

Among the many well-known people at the reception were:

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Olney Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wigginton Creed, Mr. and Mrs. John McNear, Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Magee Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. Magee, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Titus, Miss Mollie Conners, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Wheeler, Judge and

Mrs. Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Morrison, Judge and Mrs. Graupner, Judge and Mrs. Cerf, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bentley, Miss Margaret Ogden, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Fanny McLean, Miss Martha Clucherling and Misses Wheeler.

All the bay cities were well represented, making the reception one of the most brilliant and most elaborate affairs of the year. It was successful in many ways, especially as a tribute to Mrs. Hearst, and as a means of promoting a splendid bond of sympathy among the alumni of our magnificent State University.

EXHIBIT OF CHRISTMAS AFFAIRS IS GIVEN.

One of the successful affairs of the week across the bay was the Christmas tree and the Christmas dance planned by Miss Jennie Stone and given on Friday evening at the St. Francis.

Miss Stone is the only sister of Ebert and Andrew Stone and she has a large circle of friends on this side of the bay, for the home of the Stones at Elmhurst was for many years one of the pioneer homes of the country.

The Christmas tree was given in the afternoon and was for Miss Stone's nephews, William and Andrew Stone, the little sons of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stone, and for Ebert, the only son of the Ebert Stones. The Christmas dance was in honor of Miss Helen Stone. Miss Helen Hinckley and Miss McLaughlin, who is visiting the Stones. The Fairmont was very gay, indeed, in honor of the holiday celebration, the white and gold ballroom, the red room, the gray room and the laurel court all be-

Fritz Hinckley, Walter Hush, George Bowles, Dudley Valentine, Harold Meek and John Bakewell.

Miss Doris Wilshire has sent out cards for a tea which she will give in honor of Miss Helen Stone. She has chosen a unique date for her party, and it will be given on Christmas Day.

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WOULD YOU VIEW FASHION? ATTEND DANSANT.

Striking clothes, those that immediately attract attention, are everywhere seen, especially at the dancants. There was a time when the smart set was dependent on the matrons to show the good clothes. Now the tea dances serve that purpose.

One seems to be effectively and strikingly gowned. To begin with, there is Mrs. Douglas Crane, who has evolved a style peculiarly her own. At one of the recent dancants she wore a coat suit of yellow, the very fetching mustard tone popular in the east. The jacket, which came up to her throat was of the yellow velvet, and the skirt was of yellow chiffon. A little gold bonnet completed a costume that attracted general attention.

At the dancant last week Miss Cora Orlis wore a costume of blue serge trimmed in red, and Miss Marie Louise Black was in bright pink corduroy with a wide black hat. Miss Vera de Sabla was in black velvet set off with beautiful ermine furs. Everyone stared at Miss Winifred de Wolfe, just back from Paris, who was all in white even to her shoes and stockings, and who wore her hair in long braid down her back.

Mrs. Coleridge Ertz is one of the most graceful dancers at the tea dances, her partner often being Count Montgelas, who is perhaps the best dancer among the men. One of her

MISS MOLLIE SIDEBOOTHAM, WHOSE WEDDING TO HENRY C. THAYER OF PHILADELPHIA IN FEBRUARY WILL BE ONE OF THE MOST BRILLIANT CHURCH FUNCTIONS THIS SEASON.—Fraser Photo.



MRS. ARTHUR UPSON (MARGARET WINDER), WHO HAS GONE TO DENVER, COLO., TO MAKE HER FUTURE HOME.—McCullagh Photo.

ing used for the happy gatherings.

They were all gay with holiday decorations, carried out with quantities of red berries and mistletoe, and in the bright red room was a superb Christmas tree, all shining with lights and laden with Christmas favors.

In the evening the dance was a very delightful affair, and among the well-known people present were: Mr. and Mrs. Templeton Crocker, Mr. and

Mrs. Bernard Ford (Marion Miller), Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sullivan (Gladys Wilson), Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McNear, Miss Mildred Clark, Miss Florence Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chickering, Dr. Lovell Langstroth, Bradway Head, Mrs. Sullivan, Grayson Hinckley,

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Mrs. Warren S. Palmer wears spe-

cially beautiful dinner gowns. One of them is of white chiffon, with an overdress of lovely silver lace. At the dancant at her home on Tuesday she was gowned in black and white, the costume showing the tutti effect now so often seen in Parisian costumes.

At the reception to Mrs. Hearst on Thursday evening Miss William H. Crocker wore one of the handsomest costumes seen at the St. Francis. It was of silver brocade, very beautifully draped, with crystal bands outlining the corsage.

Among the girls who dress in a very unusual way at the dancants is Miss Milo Abercrombie, who is also a very beautiful dancer. One of her costumes which we much admired is a soft gown of taupe chiffon, elaborately trimmed in Japanese hand embroidery, in many shades especially of blues and gold. The long butterfly sleeves of embroidery are most effective.

Mrs. Warren Harrold (Madeline Clay) and Miss Pussy Creed are both most attractive studies wherever one sees them. They are both very pretty, very attractive, with such exquisite taste in dress that they are lovely studies wherever one meets them.

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MEN DO NOT NEGLECT DANSANT.

The amazing thing about the dancants which are so popular is the large number of men who are attracted to them. There is no lack of partners for the girls, for men have learned to drop in at the dancant after business hours, for the dance before dinner. The recent tea dance given at the Palace was quite remarkable in many ways. It was a Wednesday dancant, and there were plenty of men. They came from the offices and from the banks, there were professional men and men from the army and navy. The attendance was simply enormous, and not more than half the guests were able to obtain tables for tea. The music was what the girls call "simply splendid," and nobody wanted to go home for dinner. One hears that the afternoon dancant ended in an evening dancant

that was carried on with much good form and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone. So successful has the tea dance become everywhere that a series has been announced for Saturday afternoon at the Palace. They are to be given all through the winter and until Lent ends most of our social festivities.

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feet still when the music begins. It is of course utterly impossible to persuade any of the young girls to pour. There seems to be fashions in flowers as well as in many other things. This year, instead of the large lavender orchid, the happy debutante receives the yellow orchid, which looks like a butterfly. Baskets of flowers are no longer sent, unless the basket can be used afterwards. There are lovely trays which are now sent to the debutantes, and there are pedestal baskets standing thirty inches high, which may be filled with wonderful roses.

Many mothers still cling to the idea of the dignified reception for their daughters, but that it is fitting to introduce them to society in the environment of their own homes. Among the most beautiful flowers received this winter were those which graced the debuts of Miss Marian Rodolph, Miss Phyllis Capwell, Miss Carmen Ghirardelli and Miss Rebecca Shreve of San Francisco.

Cards are out for the reception which will mark the debut of Miss Adele Scott, and one knows that this happy young debutante will be surrounded by a wilderness of flowers from friends who have known her from childhood.

There are not so many debutantes around the bay, in proportion to our old families, as are found in the East. For instance, in New York there are over 100 debutantes this winter. But prominent among the eastern debutantes are Miss Mary Alexander and Miss Helen Tower. Few Californians who have gone east to live have achieved such great social success as Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, who was formerly Miss Hattie Crocker of San Francisco.

One may see more often in the social news notes the names of Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs and Mrs. Willie K. Vanderbilt, but that do not move in the exclusive circles which welcomes Mrs. Charles B. Alexander. So her daughter will be one of the most important debutantes of the New York season, and many entertainments both in New York and Tuxedo will be given in her honor. Miss Helen Tower will make her debut in Philadelphia, but she will spend part of the season in New York, where the Towers have many distinguished friends.

Miss Tower is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlemagne Tower, her mother being Helen Smith, formerly of this city. She was called Nellie Smith by her friends, and she lived out a quiet, peaceful girlhood in the unpretentious family home of the Smiths on Castro street. One summer Fate sent her to Alaska, and on the trip she met Charlemagne Tower, to whom she was married almost immediately on her return from the north.

It is a matter of history how successful Mr. Tower has been as a diplomat in foreign countries. Mrs. Tower was exceedingly popular at the court of St. Petersburg, and she was a great social favorite in Berlin, when Mr. Tower was our Minister there. Miss Helen Tower is a most accomplished girl, speaking many languages very well indeed, and with the wealth and position back of the Towers she bids fair to be one of the leading debutantes of the East.

The debutantes of Washington are very interesting this year, and one of the most important will be Miss Genevieve Champ Clark, daughter of the Speaker of the House and Mrs. (Continued on Next Page)

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For removing wrinkles, without stopping the pores with party stuff, here's a never-failing formula: 1 oz. powdered sanguine dissolved in 1 pint witch hazel. Bathe the face in this daily for awhile; every line will vanish completely. Even the first application gives surprising results.

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For the afternoon dance there is a most elaborate buffet, served by the maids or other attendants. One hears that most of the "pouring" will be done by servants this winter, for even the grandmothers in society are dancing madly, and simply cannot keep their

grandchildren from dancing.

Society

(Con. From Preceding Page)

Clark. Miss Clark will make her debut at a large New Year reception, and she will be assisted by prominent girls from other leading cities.

There will not be the usual reception at the White House, so Miss Clark's debut party will probably take its place.

MISS GHIRARDELLI

GUEST OF HONOR.

Among the important dinners of the week was that given by Miss Allene Edoff before the dance on Friday evening. The hostess entertained at

honor was Miss Carmen Ghirardelli, whose debut was an event of the early season. The table was very beautifully decorated, and Miss Edoff's guest list included:

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TO ENTERTAIN AT

COUNTRY CLUB.

Mr. William Campbell and Mrs. James Black will be hostesses at a large dance which they are planning to give the latter part of the month. They will send out cards in the near future and will entertain their guests at the Claremont Country Club.

DISTANT LANDS HOLD

OUT WINTER LURE.

The Riviera season is opening in Europe, and people who can travel are going there, and Florida, Bermuda, Coronado and Hawaii all hold out winter charms.

But a new development is taking hold of people. They are learning to appreciate the bracing activities of a snow-bound winter. So we have the smart sets everywhere starting for the land of snows. A Swiss winter is offering many advantages and those who have enjoyed winter sports in Sweden are bound to go again. For ourselves, there are the Sierras, and a few hours' travel will take us to the border line at Truckee for a day's snowballing.

MONDAY EVENING CLUB MEETS.

The members of the Monday Evening Club will give a Mendelssohn program tomorrow evening at Omer N. Krusche's, 2114 Center street, Berkeley, at 8 o'clock. The members will render a number of the most famous compositions of Felix Mendelssohn under the direction of their able leader, Miss Jesse Dean Moore. Solos, duets and trios will be among the numbers given.

SENZA RITMO CLUB IN CONCERT.

The last concert of the Senza Ritmo Club was a decided success. The numbers, both vocal and instrumental, were rendered in an artistic manner, especially the playing of the "Last Second Rhapsody" by Miss Audrey Beer, her tone work being especially brilliant, particularly in the first movement. Miss Beer is a pupil of George Kruse and is one of the most talented of the artist's pupils. She will appear in recital soon after the holidays.

PERSONALS

DR. FITZGIBSON has removed to Martinez, where he has taken over the practice of Dr. Goodale of that community. Mrs. Fitzgibson has been married to Dr. Goodale.

MRS. JANE WHITTIER, who has been the house guest of the Powelson family of Mountain View, has returned home.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM NUGROHLS are touring the southern part of the state via automobile.

MRS. BESSEY BRIGGS is home from a pleasant visit in Oak Park.

MR. E. DEANER, the veteran piano man of Oak Park, is in Ireland on business.

MR. W. B. BOYARD spent a few days in Petaluma this week.

MR. E. FITCH, who has been the guest of his friends, has returned to his home in this city.

ATTORNEY THOMAS GRAY has returned from a visit with relatives in Oakland.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE MCALVEY are home from a visit with friends at Niles.

MR. PHIL RUPPERT, who has been spending a few days in Placeria, has returned home.

JOHN G. WELLS and wife, who have recently come to Oakland from Pennsylvania, were guests of the Pencock family of Concord last week.

MR. F. SMITH has returned from a business trip to Concord.

MRS. ETHEL WHALEY is the guest of friends in Martinez.

MISS LOUISE FURTADO, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Alice of Hollister, will remain until the first of the year.

THEODORE GIER of this city, in company with his wife, Mrs. Gier, are in Sacramento on business in connection with the State Agricultural Society.

MR. AND MRS. F. E. ROGERS have gone to Bellingham, where they will make their future home. Mr. Rogers has been appointed agent for Wells, Fargo & Co. at that state.

WENTLAKE COLE is home from a week's visit with friends at Petaluma.

MR. W. WINDSOR, who has been on a business trip to Galt, has returned home.

MRS. MARGARET SOPER, who has been the guest of Mr. William McNeil at Sunnyside, has returned to her home in this city.

MR. G. B. HARRIS and MRS. JEAN HANKE, who have been the guests of the Weiters at Walnut Creek, have returned home.

MR. L. DABROW has returned from a trip of inspection over his vineyard at Minterne.

MR. HILLER of this city, accompanied by W. H. Wilson of Berkeley, have returned home.

MR. J. H. LEVY is the guest of friends in the West Eureka Mining Company's interests.

MR. R. C. MORRIS is home from a short visit at Glendale.

MR. HARRY BILL is home from a visit with his grandmother in Glendale.

MR. HARRY BILL is home from an extended visit with his mother, Mrs. William Shaefer of Antioch.

J. A. BYRNE, the well-known horseman, has returned from Pennsylvania, where he has secured a valuable colt in his in the track.

MISS FRANCES WILSON, one of the well-known and teachers of music in the city, is a resident of the Golden Gate, in great waves of

song Oakland will express its Christmas spirit.

SUZETTE.

TELEGRAMS have been received for a dancing party at which the Misses Mabel and Alice Johnson will be hostesses the evening of December 19. Invitations have been extended to twenty-four guests and the affair will take place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Johnson in East Oakland street. A dance will be served during the course of the evening.

SOCIETY CARD PARTY.

One of the large events in club circles for the month of January will be the benefit card party to be given at the Oakland New Century Clubhouse, January 13.

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PICTURES IN SOCIETY.

One of the largest church weddings this coming year will be that of Miss Mollie Sidebottom, the beautiful daughter of Mrs. R. A. Sidebottom of Boise, Idaho, and Henry C. Thayer of Philadelphia, in February. Miss Sidebottom is the daughter of the late Governor R. A. Sidebottom of Idaho. Miss Sidebottom is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Unseen, and later her mother will join her in the west.

Thayer is the son of John B. Thayer of Philadelphia and a wealthy banker of that city. He is at present making his home with his mother at Bar Harbor.

Thayer is a prominent club and fraternity man, being a graduate of Harvard. Miss Sidebottom is one of the most cultured young girls in society, having received the greatest part of her education in Paris by Miss Dryden's school. Later she studied German for a number of years in Vienna along with music and other studies. The announcement of the engagement of the couple was made last month.

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IN Alameda County - LODGE-ROOMS

Col. John B. Wyman Circle, No. 23, met in regular business session last Tuesday afternoon with a splendid attendance. There were several visitors present. Two candidates were escorted to the altar and initiated. Several applications for membership were read and referred to the investigating committee. It was the regular election of officers and the following were elected: President, Mrs. Christina Levy; senior vice-president, Dora Day Lans; junior vice-president, Sarah Cunard; chaplain, Emma Stevens; treasurer, Venice F. Cushing; corresponding secretary, Callie Eaton; guard, Mary L. St. George; delegates, Josephine E. Hard, Mary E. Everard, Emma Stevens, Mary Harrington, Sarah Cunard and Maude E. Melville; alternates, Mary L. Siegle, Calma Stevenson, Ella James, Maria Flanders and Amelia Hobart.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

The Alameda county executive committee, Woodmen of the World, held its regular monthly meeting Thursday. President, Frank D. Johnson, presided in the chair. D. J. Conroy, secretary.

Representatives from Oakland, Forest, Spruce, Pemita, Athens, Wedgewood, Encinal, Bay Tree and Fruitvale Camps were present.

Arthur D. Hughes, district manager; G. R. Stetson and Neighbor Williams of Wedgewood Camp reported that the campaign for new members is producing good results and much enthusiasm has resulted from the work of the committee. The team in initiating new candidates. The team has worked in Spruce, Wedgewood and Alpha camps. Wedgewood Camp drill team under the guidance of Captain L. A. Smith has excelled at all these functions and has been very successful.

Manager Hughes has been working in Martinez and reported that the camp there is making big headway.

D. P. Scudder, A. D. Hughes and Marshall Rutherford will have charge of a banquet to be tendered the members of the camp, making the program main percentage at the close of the campaign.

The clerks of the camps affiliated with the committee are requested to send names of new members admitted before January 1 to Secretary Souder.

E. B. Holiday, L. A. Johnstone, A. D. Hughes and James B. Allen were appointed a committee to investigate and report upon the advisability of publishing a journal that would reach the 3500 members of the order in Alameda county, to be issued for the purpose of advancing the interests of the order.

The committee took up the matter of a sick benefit adjutant in the respective camps, and the consensus of opinion was strongly in favor of such a measure. Athens Camp has already appointed a committee to formulate by-laws and the other camps show a disposition to adopt the new feature.

Head Manager T. M. Robinson addressed the committee and gave a synopsis of the work transacted by the board of head managers since the close of the recent head camp session. The order is flourishing.

The following officers have been chosen for the ensuing six months:

Oakland Camp—P. C. C. J. Emmet Clark; C. C. M. J. Rutherford; adv. leut. Dr. Purvis; escort, Dr. White; watchman, Mr. Anker; clerk, Thomas M. Robinson; manager, Jack Williams.

Wedgewood Camp—C. C. M. P. Rose; Adj. leut. Nevin; escort, J. Simons; banker, C. Wilson; watchman, C. Slusser; sentry, C. Woods; clerk, J. F. C. Stahl; manager, F. Wathen.

Athens Camp—P. C. C. J. W. Mullard; C. C. A. J. Rose; advisor, L. F. Hudson; D. A. Sinclair; assistant clerk, E. B. Holiday; banker, A. G. Taft; escort, W. A. Spencer; watchman, B. J. Jones; sentry, G. W. Ahern; manager, W. P. Peacocke.

Encinal Camp—P. C. C. J. E. Sessions; C. C. M. J. O'Kelly; adv. leut. J. B. Harvey; banker, R. J. Spencer; clerk, F. B. Van Nostrand; escort, P. Kanuk; watchman, William Joseph; sentry, Abramson; manager, W. Von Tagen.

Forest Camp—P. C. C. Ed Schneider; C. C. Herman Lowenberg; advisor, G. Sholes; banker, John Jeffress; escort, E. D. Collins; sentry, J. C. Jones; manager, F. W. Wadsworth; manager, G. W. Ahern; manager, W. P. Peacocke.

Fruitvale Camp—P. C. C. H. Metcalf; C. C. M. J. W. Mullard; advisor, F. G. W. Mudge; banker, H. G. Derby; watchman, C. J. W. Wheeler; manager, W. H. Weterman; C. Ludecker and P. F. G. Reinhart.

MACCABEES.

Oakland Tent No. 17 met in regular review Monday evening, December 8. Review officer was present at roll call and the attendance, which included visitors from Aragonaut and Berkeley tents, was large. Five applications were filed with the record-keeper. Seven candidates were elected to become members by initiation and one by transfer card. The degree team initiated a class of eight candidates.

The tent adopted resolutions expressive of sorrow and a deep sense of loss in the passing of Sir Knight Charles Augustus Block, who died on December 2.

Past Commander J. C. Monson has resigned the position of manager of the baseball team, and Sir Knight J. H. Merlin has undertaken the task of making the Maccabees team a pennant winner. The team has been playing winning ball the past three or four weeks. After the review refreshments were served.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.

Tuesday evening the semi-annual election of officers was held in Calamity Temple, resulting as follows: P. C. C. E. Brown; M. E. C. Christina Steider; E. S. Florence Mann; E. J. Matilda Hildebrand; manager, Ada Perkins; M. F. Grace; Hool; protector, Helen Jones; guard, Ethel D. Moore; trustee, Grace Nelson.

After the business of the session a masonic shower was tendered. Sister Clara Lundberg, whose wedding to P. J. Nielsen was a social event in fraternal circles. Many useful and handsome presents were received, after which refreshments were served and dancing closed one of the most pleasant evenings of Calamity Temple. The next session will be turned over to the social committee.

NATIVE DAUGHTERS.

On last Thursday evening, December 5, Piedmont Parlor No. 87, Native Daughters of the Golden West, held a very interesting meeting. President Elsa Kendig in the chair. The election of officers resulted as follows: Past president, Elsa Kendig; president, Clara Wemmer; first vice-president, Winifred Hailey; second vice-president, Ida Lundberg; third vice-president, Francis Roeth; recording secretary, Alice Miner; financial secretary, Rose Neiderman; trustees, W. Buckingham, B. Pachago and I. Jorden; treasurer, Augustus Hall; inside sentinel, Nellie Rollay; outside sentinel, Gretta Morden; organist, Jennie Brown; physicians, Dr. V. Derrick and Dr. Ackley.

Installation of officers will take place some time in January. The masquerade ball was a success.

Aragonaut Parlor No. 166, Native Daughters of the Golden West, have completed arrangements for a masquerade ball.

The following officers for the ensuing term are: Past president, Edith Stone; president, Edie Bauer; first vice-president, Katherine Congdon; second vice-president, Lena Prescott; third vice-president, Florence Phillips; recording secretary, Ada Spelman; financial secretary, Emily Chilton; treasurer, Mamie Behan; marshal, Jennie DeMartini; organist, Maud Fearnay; trustees, Anna Lorraine, Gertrude Rowan and Agnes



MRS. JANET LOTT, AN ENTHUSIASTIC WORKER IN COLONEL JOHN WYMAN CIRCLE, LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC.

Feeary; inside sentinel, Margaret Doyle; outside sentinel, Myrtle Bellierre.

OAKLAND GRANGE.

The enthusiasm and fraternal spirit created by those who were fortunate enough to be able to attend the State Grange, served to make the November meeting of the Oakland Grange interesting.

The combined experiences of the different lodges represented made the session enjoyable. Personal experiences of those who attended the State Grange proved in many instances laughable and unique.

The Oakland Lodge has been very fortunate in having friends and members who have made the lecture hour instructive and entertaining. The vital subject of the day were discussed with local backgrounds and conditions. Music and recitations interspersed the program.

The supper which always precedes the Lodge meetings, established a feeling of good will.

On December 10 an election of officers was held. A. R. Dow, who has held the office of worthy grand master for our years, declined re-election and Dr. Dessa was chosen in his place. During his term of office Dow served the lodge faithfully. His kind disposition and desire to aid and further the interests of the lodges endeared him to all.

Mrs. Dow was again re-elected worthy master. Other officers elected were: Secretary, Mrs. McCabe; treasurer, Mrs. Bradford; organist, Mrs. DeWitt C. Bushnell; chaplain, Mrs. White; overseer, Thayer Hall; steward, Harry Stone; assistant steward, Edward A. Thirnton; auditor, Mrs. Newell; and Mrs. Mayfield; doorkeeper, Franklin Lloyd.

FORESTERS.

The best exemplification of A. O. F. ritualistic work was witnessed by a large gathering of Foresters Thursday evening where a new initiatory ceremony was presented by the degree team. "The Rovers," from San Francisco, High Chief Ranger George W. Lunt accompanied the degree team from San Francisco.

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REBEKAHS.

Last Saturday evening, Oakland Rebekah Lodge No. 15 held its regular weekly session in Nacchae Temple, 553 Eleventh street, Noble Grand Etta Knox Building. After the session J. K. Pittet, departmental commander of the state of California, several years ago and a began to keep in communication with the country. He tried to keep in communication with his family. He moved to Toronto and nothing was heard of the young man. He died in 1901.

A. E. Turner immediately got into communication with the auto company and the two brothers will be reunited.

WISE GUARD WHO HAS ACCUMULATED FORTUNE

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Dec. 13.—W. Grisham, former penitentiary guard, whose wife obtained a divorce and \$5000 alimony at Fulton, owns property in Jefferson City worth more than \$10,000, and is said to have considerably more besides.

Grisham was let out by Warden D. C. McCullough. He was appointed as a Democrat from Cooper county sixteen years ago when the salary of a guard was \$55 a month. Guards now are paid \$85 per month.

When the average penitentiary guard, who has contributed to campaigns, retires, he hardly ever has more than enough to buy his railroad ticket home. Grisham made his money by carefully investing his savings in Jefferson City real estate, which has trebled in value in a few years.

1520 Broadway, also with M. Voerckel, with Smith Brothers.

FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD.

Last Thursday evening Maple Leaf Lodge, No. 350, Fraternal Brotherhood, held its regular weekly session. Brother President Fred G. Parker presiding. One application for membership was presented, balloted for and elected to become a member by initiation. One candidate was obligated preparatory to class initiation. Melrose Lodge extended an invitation to join in the joint installation of officers. Alameda, Seminary Park and East Oakland have also been invited to take part in the joint installation. Noble Grand Etta Knox Building.

The regular semi-annual election of officers, the following were elected: Advanced to the past noble grand's station.

Etta F. Knox; noble grand, Arabella Eaton; vice grand, Eleanor Salter; recording secretary, Clara K. Noble; financial secretary, Glenn Miller; treasurer, Grace E. Strogs; trustee, Edith T. Ward; drill mistress, Leonora Maganini.

Speeches were made by the visitors, who occupied seats of honor. All retired to the banquet room, where refreshments were served. Last evening the Lodge gave a serpentine dance.

Last Tuesday evening Abst. Invida Rebekah Lodge No. 11 held its regular weekly session. Noble Grand Etta Knox Building.

One application for membership was presented. One application for membership was presented and a committee appointed on the same. Bro. F. Foster, chairman, reported the business of the Lodge for December 2 a success and turned over \$125 as net proceeds.

Sister Jeanette Fonda of the District Orphan Home theater party reported.

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GOSSIP FROM SAN FRANCISCO WEEKLIES

Hearst and Eugenics; Also His Papers

Whether William Randolph Hearst believes in eugenics or not I cannot say, but I am in a position to show that he carries the fear of harmful prenatal influences to an unusual extreme. Before the Hearst heir was born, William Randolph endeavored to keep all Hearst papers away from his wife. Mrs. Hearst, however, has always taken a keen interest in her husband's publications, and Hearst realized that it would be quite impossible to restrain her from reading the papers he publishes in various parts of the country. They had always been brought to her every morning and she refused to give them up. That was several years ago when the Hearst papers were much more sensational than they are today. They made a specialty of scandalous stories and sudden death. The more gaudy, the better.

more gaudily, it was illustrated with photographs and drawings. Pictures of men and women taken after death, pictures of revolvers, knives and hatchets that had inflicted death, pictures of guns or shells or roadways with the usual "X marks the spot" and all the other horrors that the morbid readers of yellow papers revel in were a big feature of Hearst journalism in those days. But when interest turned out, the papers could not be kept away from Mrs. Hearst. It is said that all the men who were employed at that time in Hearst local rooms throughout the country will readily recall. He ordered that all such illustrations should be omitted in the future. The order was so sweeping that not even a photograph of the funeral of a prominent man could be used in any Hearst paper. It was expected that the order would be repealed after the birth of the Hearst boy, but it was not. It is still in force, although it is occasionally disregarded. One result of that order was the decimation of the ranks of Hearst artists and photographers. The Hearst art rooms have never employed anything like the same number of men since that time.—Town Talk.

That Eugenic Baby and "Pop" Cahill

My esteemed friend, "Pop" Cahill, called attention in his "Candid Friend" column last week to the eugenic baby of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Boice of Oakland. This baby enjoys the eugenically insatiable advantage of parental education and, therefore, according to the eugenic assumption, came into the world with a head start. Eased that their offspring inherit its parents' sense of humor, the Boices read "Three Men in a Boat" before the baby was born, and also called or its author, Jerome K. Jerome, who, in "Three Men in a Boat," most melanconically, humanists in the world. They also visited H. G. Wells, but if they mistook Wells for a humorist, it must have been because they had never read "Ann Veronica" or "The New Machiavelli." And when baby came the Boices showed what a keen sense of humor they possessed by naming the poor kid Eugenetta.

The Boices were not backward about telling the world of their eugenic preparations for the advent of Eugenetta, and among other things they gave the public the news of their visit to H. G. Wells. This so riled Wells that he disavowed any sympathy with eugenics or eugenists in a letter which has escaped the watchful eye of "Pop" Cahill. Wells wrote to the London papers as follows: "I regret the necessity I am under of declaring that not only do I not support eugenics and the Eugenic Society, but that I have written an entirely destructive criticism of their proposals to you in the *Times* and *Standard* last week. I have written to you in my house a year or so ago to take photographs of me for a magazine, and secured among others one of myself and myself in conversation. He has since become the father of a child who has been named—I think unfortunately—Eugenetta. He declares that his wife was with him when he visited me—I did not know she was his wife; I imagined she was an assistant operator—and that my conversation was calculated to improve the prospects of the then incipient Eugenetta. (I doubt if he thinks so now.) I had never heard of Eugenetta until she blazed into publicity a week or so ago; it is my sincerest wish that I may never hear of her again; and I do not believe that any of these ankles of her parents before her birth will have the slightest effect in mitigating her heredity. (Will American papers please copy? I am altogether an unbeliever in the inheritance of acquired characteristics.)"—Town Talk.

Dream of Horseshoe Lost to San Francisco

Regrets for the glittering dream of a horseshoe to rival the famous half-circle of the Metropolitan in New York are keen. When the San Francisco open house was proposed it was the first detail society thought of. The boxes would have given opportunities for display. The data of Mrs. Pope's flood's ropes of diamonds, the Croker pearls and the Sharon jewels in their dazzling variety would have adorned it. Regrets are keener when one reads of the opening of the Metropolitan season. There were the dowagers, somewhat bored, there were the debutantes, eagerly expectant; there were the social climbers, nervously speculative, and there were the music lovers, greatly delighted. The curios were there, and the great American public, alive and enjoying every feature of the great spectacle. It was much like other opening houses, but of the great social history. The first act of Giaconia was over when Mrs. Vanderbilt and her daughter, the Countess Szchenyi, took their places. Mrs. Vanderbilt's other daughter, Mrs. Harry Payne Whittier, was already seated in the next box, her high spiced diamond crown glittering, flashing and sparkling even in that dim light. Mrs. Vanderbilt was in violet and gold with tira, dog collar and ropes of diamonds; the Countess Szchenyi wore a pendant and coronet; Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury of Philadelphia glittered with her cerise satin gown and Mrs. George Gould was the most noticeable woman in the all that great house, gowned in plain white brocade satin with no ornaments of any kind on her beautiful neck or in her dark hair. She was a gardenia in a bouquet of orchids.—Wasp.

Commander Sellers Gets Unpleasant Order

The orders relieving Lieutenant Commander David M. Sellers from duty as the Panama-Pacific navy attaché were a sad surprise to this distinguished officer. Lieutenant Commander Sellers will report for sea duty in March and his place will be filled by another appointment. There are many regrets, for the Sellers are really popular in society and the clubs, but with the regrets there is a degree of well concealed amusement. The orders are a judgment, gossip say, it seems that when the navy officer first assumed his duties he was shocked at the free western ways of men with whom he was associated in greeting distinguished envoys from foreign governments. Commander Sellers is a southern gentleman of birth and breeding, and he has had a social experience abroad where he was

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"Go to Church" Agitation Hits S. F.

There is a "go to church" agitation on in San Francisco among other things. And one of the intentions on the part of all the pastors, as announced in an afternoon paper, is to "make everybody feel perfectly welcome." Now I find no fault whatever with any movement calculated to interest more people in church attendance. But I am inclined to take what, to my mind, is pardonable amusement out of the prospect of a united effort to make everybody welcome. I have been led to believe that the fact of there being a line of differentiation between two classes, has done much to cause the average church congregation to shrink. The possibility of everybody being made welcome, the givers being on an equal plane with those who give not, is something which I fear is too good to be true. Figuratively speaking, I'm from Missouri. But I am willing to be shown, and to command if such a miracle actually works out. In the meantime I will cling to my old belief and pray.—News Letter.

Spreckels Divorce Charge Not Surprise

The Spreckels divorce has been so long in the air that the filing of the suit by young Mrs. Jack was taken as a matter of course. The charge of cruelty was not a surprise. There have been politely comical scenes in the Spreckels menage that suggested it. Jack was never fond of his wife's friends and he never tried to conceal his indifference to her guests; if he happened to be at home when she entertained. Mrs. Spreckels is a beauty, with an interesting personality. She has a natural gift for the stage, but gave up amateur theatricals when her husband disapproved of her success. A few years ago she went in for art and has done a creditable work. Mrs. Spreckels will inherit a million from her father, Willard V. Huntington, nephew of the late Col. F. Jack is the only son of the rich John D. Spreckels. His sisters are Mrs. Alexander Hamilton and Mrs. Harry Holbrook. The marriage of young Spreckels and Edith Huntington was an elaborate affair at the Palace hotel back in 1902. The bride was just 18 and the young bridegroom only a year or two older. They have three children, who will continue to live with their mother in the artistic home among the "Cliff Dwellers" on Washington street.—Wasp.

Would-Be Hangmen For San Quentin

J. H. Arbogast, for 18 years the noose adjuster at San Quentin, was relieved of his job recently by the prison directors. No fault was found with Arbogast's official conduct as a hangman, but he was also a prison steward and his stewardship was unsatisfactory, so he was discharged. The news that San Quentin was without a hangman had not been public for three days before the President of the Prison Commission, Dennis M. Duffy, received applications from four men who were eager to get the job. These men did not apply for the stewardship at San Quentin, mind you, but for the job of officiating at hangings. There was no joke about these applications either. The men applied in all seriousness, setting forth their qualifications for the employment. The world includes the Croker pearls and the Sharon jewels in their dazzling variety would have adorned it. Regrets are keener when one reads of the opening of the Metropolitan season. There were the dowagers, somewhat bored, there were the debutantes, eagerly expectant; there were the social climbers, nervously speculative, and there were the music lovers, greatly delighted. The curios were there, and the great American public, alive and enjoying every feature of the great spectacle. It was much like other opening houses, but of the great social history. The first act of Giaconia was over when Mrs. Vanderbilt and her daughter, the Countess Szchenyi, took their places. Mrs. Vanderbilt's other daughter, Mrs. Harry Payne Whittier, was already seated in the next box, her high spiced diamond crown glittering, flashing and sparkling even in that dim light. Mrs. Vanderbilt was in violet and gold with tira, dog collar and ropes of diamonds; the Countess Szchenyi wore a pendant and coronet; Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury of Philadelphia glittered with her cerise satin gown and Mrs. George Gould was the most noticeable woman in the all that great house, gowned in plain white brocade satin with no ornaments of any kind on her beautiful neck or in her dark hair. She was a gardenia in a bouquet of orchids.—Wasp.

Expensive Signature Was Albert Herter's

It was Henry T. Scott who arranged with Albert Herter of New York for the painting of the wonderful canvases which adorn the walls of the new St. Francis dining room. When the price had been fixed, Herter explained that he would not sign the pictures. Scott asked him why. "If my signature goes on the paintings," said Herter, "it will cost you \$3500 more." Scott took a long pull on the Parlagas, which is hardly ever out of his mouth, and considered. "Well," he said finally, "I suppose if you paint these pictures with the idea of not signing them you will not do your

Story of Painter Hill and the Princess

When the Princess Louise and her hus-

band, Marquis of Lorne, were in San

Francisco Thomas Hill was honored by the royal friendship. The Princess, who is now Duchess of Argyle is a painter

whose work has genuine merit. She

made a number of sketches on the Ameri-

can tour and in California desired to visit

the most picturesque places with an art-

ist guide. Hill, who had made innumera-

ble sketches about Monterey and Santa

Barbara was the artist selected. He used

to tell the story of his first meeting with

Queen Victoria's daughter. One day a

pompous person called at his studio on

Post street and announced himself as

Major Turtelot, major domo of the royal

tour. He invited the artist to call on Her

Royal Highness at the Palace hotel with

the Marquis of Lorne.

After many years of unsuccessful seek-

ing for an appropriate resting place, Tom

Hill's famous picture of "The Last

Spike" has obtained admission to the

Museum in Golden Gate Park—an excel-

lent place for it. The picture, considered

solely as a work of art, is not remarkable,

but it possesses much interest in Cali-

fornia and will be highly prized some day

as a memento of "The Days of old, the

Days of Gold," before such things as jux-

taposed overland limited trains, running in

and out of the Oakland station, were

dreamed of.

Tom Hill's picture attempts to depict

the driving of the last spike on the Central

Pacific Railroad—the first band of

iron to connect the Far West with the

Atlantic Coast. The men who planned

and Stanford, Charles Crocker and their

business associates, as well as other

prominent citizens of that early day in

the history of the West are portrayed in

Tom Hill's painting. The portraits are not

of the best for Hill, though a landscape

painter of the first order, was not a port-

rait painter. He also lacked great skill

as a draughtsman and consequently his

historical picture is defective in points

that are important in figure painting.

Still, his painting was a good example of

the work that could be done in the Far

West, when the last spike of the Central

Pacific was driven and the railroad build-

ers of America were just entering upon

an era of expansion, wealth and power,

unequalled in any other country. There

were no motion pictures in Tom Hill's

days, nor even dry-plate photo-

graphy to facilitate snapshot views. The

photographers did all their work by the

wet-plate process, which, by the way, is

still the method used by all photo-engravers.

Most admirable views did those old-

time photographers take, but their photo-

graphic triumphs represented an amount of

labor that would appall an ordinary

photographer nowadays.

Houseworth, who took many fine views of

the Sierras in early days carried his

heavy apparatus on pack mules. The

negatives could only be taken on glass

plates which had to be immersed in a

nitrate of silver bath before exposure in

the camera. After the glass plate was re-

moved from the camera it had to be de-

veloped at once in an improvised dark

room, usually constructed out of a tent.

Anybody who knows how sensitive to

light a negative is, and how hard it is to

keep a nitrate-of-silver bath in proper

condition in a studio, much less on a

rough mountain trail, will understand the

difficulties that the old-time photograph-

ers were forced to overcome.—Wasp.

History Closed by Last of the Shoguns

The last of the Shoguns, Prince Kondo Tokugawa, has died in his seventy-sixth year. Descended from the old feudal aristocracy of Japan, which held the real power of the Empire since the twelfth century, Prince Tokugawa held the office only ten months, in the years 1867-8. From the time of the late Emperor Mutsuhito put an end to the power of the Shoguns, Tokugawa led a life of complete seclusion at Shizuka. He cut himself off not only from political activity but from every social function.

The figure of a Shogun, always appealing to the Western imagination, first cast its shadow across the kingdom of Japan in the twelfth century. The Shoguns came as a reaction of a vigorous people against an effeminate influence spreading from the court.

To satisfy the demand for gorgeous dress, the looms of Japan began weaving the wonderful fabrics of which the country became famous. Social fortunes turned on successful costumes and the men of the court began to powder and paint their faces like women, while a grand lady of the time was judged by the quantity of her habiliments.

A reaction favored the growth of a military class, then in the embryo, and the Shoguns emerged in glittering raiment, but as fighters and vigorous men. They were the embodiment of the spirit of the Iron Chancellors, the War Lords, the prime ministers of the later days. The title of the Shogun at this age was equally striking. Mrs. McNear's is equally striking. Mrs. McNear hasn't been abroad, but she follows the modes of the Rue de la Paix, duly adapted to her personality, as closely as a Parisienne. Mrs. George Pope's chess-board costume is of velvet in golden brown and black squares

EUROPE'S ROYAL BUSINESS MAN AND

EUROPE'S ROYAL HOUSEWIFE

FOR ALL the rulers of Europe should make a bid for the title of "business" monarch, it would undoubtedly go to the emperor of Germany. He is an untiring worker, and loves work better than all else except his army. When Roosevelt was president the German ruler thought it a great compliment when told that they had traits in common. This was largely because of the former president's capacity for hard work. Nobody can be in Wilhelm's employ, whether he occupies an important position in the army or is a servant in the royal household, and be an idler.

THE REASONS WHICH ARE GIVING HIM THE MAIN REASONS FOR HIS ABILITY TO DO SO MUCH WORK. THOUGH HE HAS A BEAUTIFUL PALACE IN BERLIN, THE ROYAL FAMILY LIVES MOST OF THE TIME AT POTSDAM, A SUBURB, SO THAT THE EMPEROR

can work quietly. He goes into the city every day by means of a fast flying auto car.

He meets the empress at 8 o'clock and they breakfast together. He prefers the English breakfast to the one usually served in Germany. It consists of coffee, rolls, butter and cold meat.

By 8:30 he is seated at his desk in his study, which belongs to his royal suite, where he has absolute quiet. Here he is awaited by his adjutants. A glance at the room shows that this is a "business office," not a lounging room for a king. On the wall are hung a few interesting but simple pictures. The general plan of the room is simple. There are some rugs, and there are several tables used for documents and typewriters. The secretary is always ready for work when the emperor reaches his desk at 8:30. After talk-

THE GERMAN EMPEROR COULD TAKE THE PLACE OF AN AMERICAN BUSINESS MAN EASILY AND THE EMPRESS COULD CUT DOWN EXPENSES AND MANAGE THE SMALLEST DETAILS OF THE AVERAGE AMERICAN HOME.

ing to his secretaries he begins his important duty of answering his mail.

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Interruptions Always Annoy Him.

When dictating he walks up and down the room and talks in clear, short sentences. If any one thing can really annoy him it is to be interrupted when answering his correspondence. Though he gives careful attention to every letter and petition he is known to be a rapid worker, often answering as many as 800 letters a day. After he finishes his letters he goes over the newspaper clippings of German and foreign publications, sent to him for his censorship. This does not mean a rapid reading, for he often makes notes on this reading. To save time he transacts much of his unimportant business over the telephone. The men working for him say that they can expect a telephone communication any time between 4 in the morning and midnight.

He does not answer all of his correspondence at one time, for by 9:30 or 10 o'clock he is ready to take a walk with the Empress through his beautiful estate at Potsdam, or in the deer park in Berlin. Even when taking this morning constitutional he walks rapidly, as if he could not afford to waste time. Then he enters his auto and hurries to Berlin, where he meets his chancellor, and they usually begin their important business by a friendly chat.

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Close Attendant at Reichstag.

He is known to have met his ministers at railroad stations or on the parade grounds. When the reichstag is in session he usually goes there and follows the discussions with much interest. If he is away for a day he not only receives the reports, but the results of the day's special meetings. After the session the report is sent to the minister of the interior, who forwards it to his majesty.

By 2 o'clock the emperor is ready for luncheon, which is a short, impromptu affair, limited to three dishes, one of which usually includes steak and mashed potatoes. After luncheon his majesty meets foreign ambassadors. By 4:30 he has his auto ready to take him back to Potsdam, where he has afternoon tea with his family and some of his children. This is served indoors in winter and out on the lawn when the weather permits. Then the emperor walks and answers his correspondence until supper time, which is at 7.

When the family are alone, or with a few friends, dinner is usually over by 8, and then they go into the music room, where the empress, who is a fine musician, furnishes an informal musical program.

The guests leave at 10 and by 11 o'clock the emperor is asleep, unless he goes to the theater or the opera.

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Traveling Doesn't Interfere with Work.

When traveling he works as hard as when at home, for he keeps in touch with every part of the machinery of the government. He always has a large staff of officials traveling with him. All telegraphic messages are presented at once. When his majesty hunts he has a special messenger go after him in case important messages are to be delivered. He is often awakened out of his sleep to read some important message, and has been known to take his auto car and hasten to Berlin after midnight. Besides these telegraphic and telephone calls, he is constantly receiving messages by couriers which must be answered.

He uses much of his leisure time in reading about the industrial conditions of other countries, and is especially interested in the subject of American factories and railroads. He takes few vacations, even in summer, except when cruising on his yacht, the Hohenzollern, but here again he is in close communication with affairs at home and abroad, and does a great deal of work.

He is a hustler in the fullest sense of the word, and has such an appreciation for American energy that when he wished to compliment Americans he says, "I can use only Americans for my work." He is a thorough business man, and has studied all the important industries of Europe and America. He has been most enthusiastic in improving the building new docks. He owns a large porcelain factory which he visits frequently, and every check paid out is signed by him.

generally come to afternoon tea, and once in a while invite a few friends.

When dinner is over they retire to the music room and the time is given over to music. The empress plays the piano and her daughter, who has a lovely voice, delights her father and his guests with German ballads. They are all fond of music and are sorry when it is 10:30 o'clock, which is the hour for retiring in this German home.

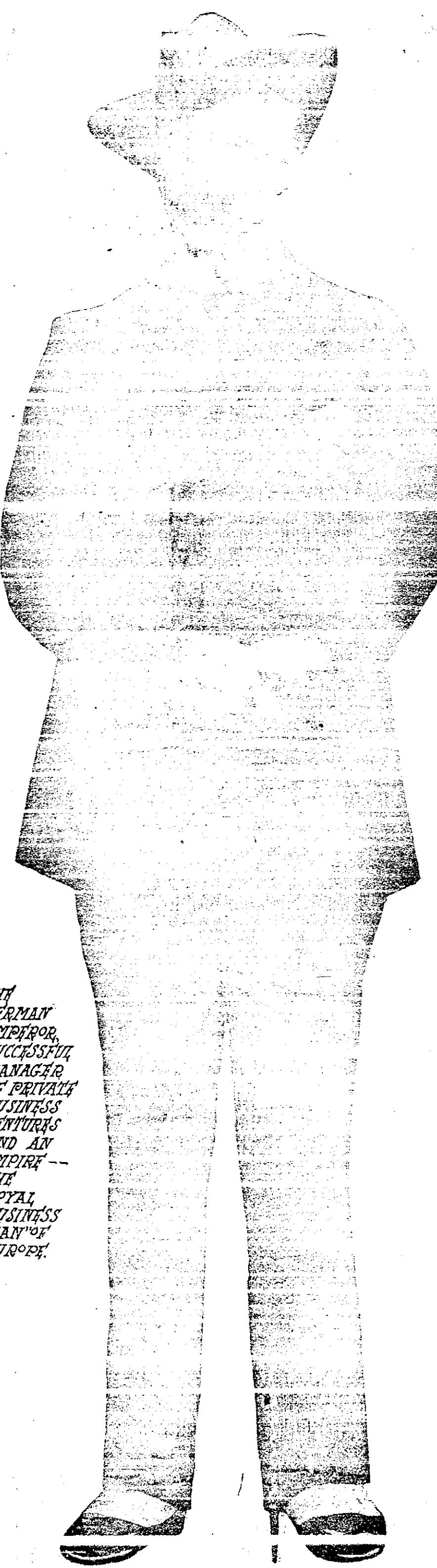
Though the empress does not consider herself an authority on clothes and their selection, she feels that she is an excellent needlewoman. She does exquisite embroidery and tapestry work. She was taught these things by her mother as a child and has never neg-

lected them since her marriage. She makes most of her gifts, including birthday gifts and Christmas presents. Whatever else she gives her husband on these occasions, they are always accompanied by some handsome piece of work that she has made.

The empress has a fine stock of fowl and cows and she superintends them herself. One day the emperor was entertaining some royal guest who remarked on his wife's domesticity. The kaiser answered quite frankly: "Because she loves these things she is my ideal. A wise woman looks after her home, her children and other less fortunate children than hers; she leaves the larger and more serious problems to her husband."

THE GERMAN EMPRESS, MODERATE MOTHER, COOK, SHAMSTRESS AND HOUSEKEEPER AND WHEN SHE TASTES ANYTHING SHE IS ROYAL.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR, SUCCESSFUL MANAGER OF PRIVATE BUSINESS VENTURES AND AN EMPIRE -- THE ROYAL BUSINESS MAN OF EUROPE.



Dinner is served at 1, and this meal is usually taken with families of their sons and their wives. The courses are generally not more than five and are simple; such typical German dishes as sausages, sauer kraut, and strudles often find a place on the menu.

This is a typical menu and a favorite one for a royal informal supper:

Carrots, apples, a soup made of chicken.

Ranugs-schnitte, dish of fish.

Ochsenhohlen, plain roast beef with gravy.

Truffles cooked in champagne.

Torte, almond torte.

Ardichokes.

Ice cream.

Butter, cheese, and dessert.

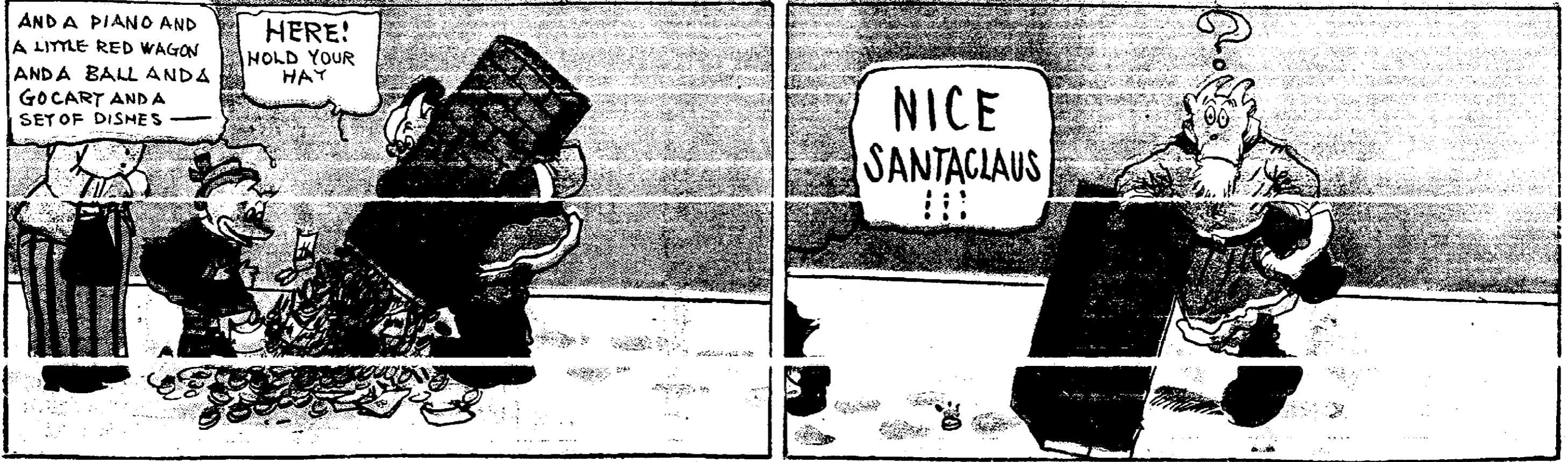
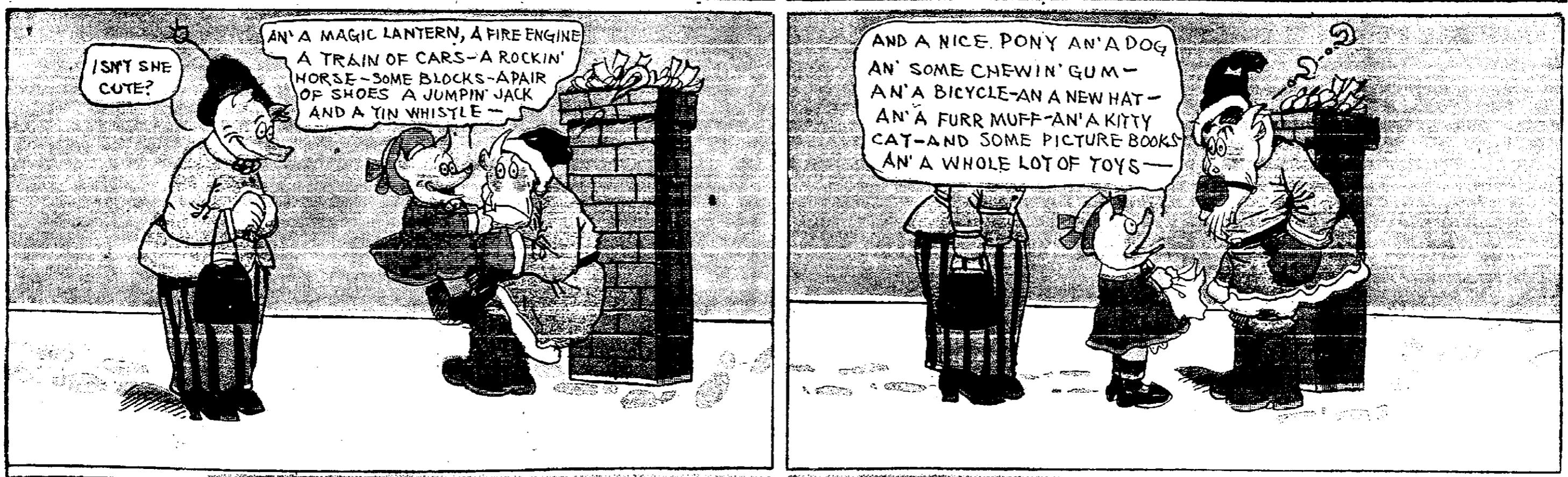
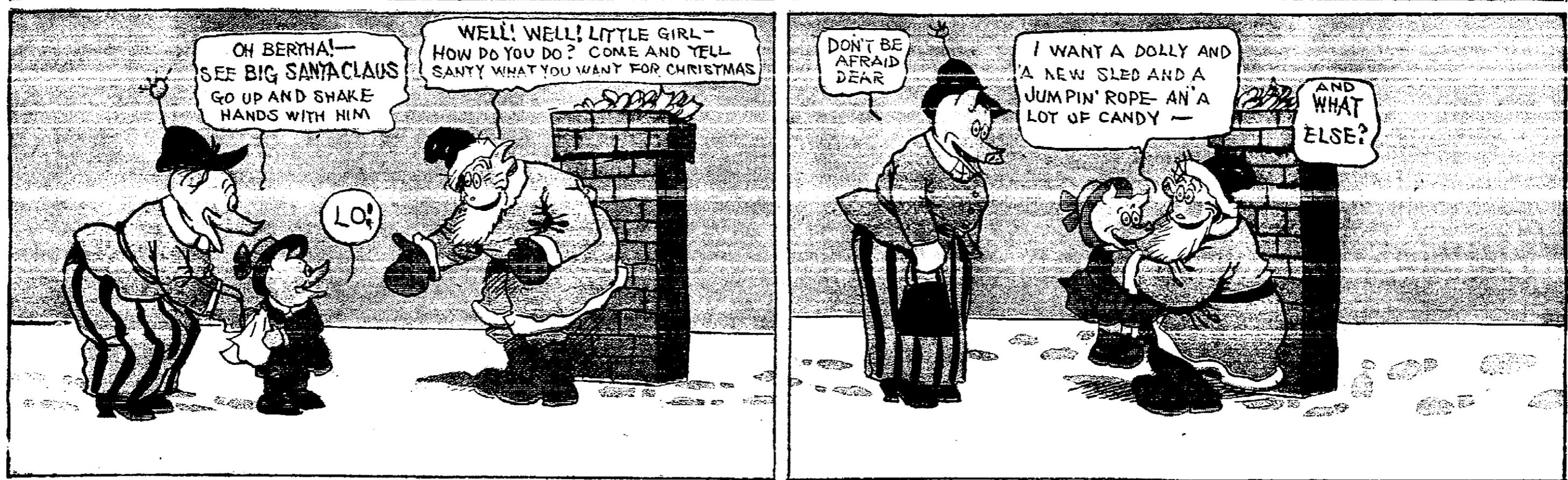
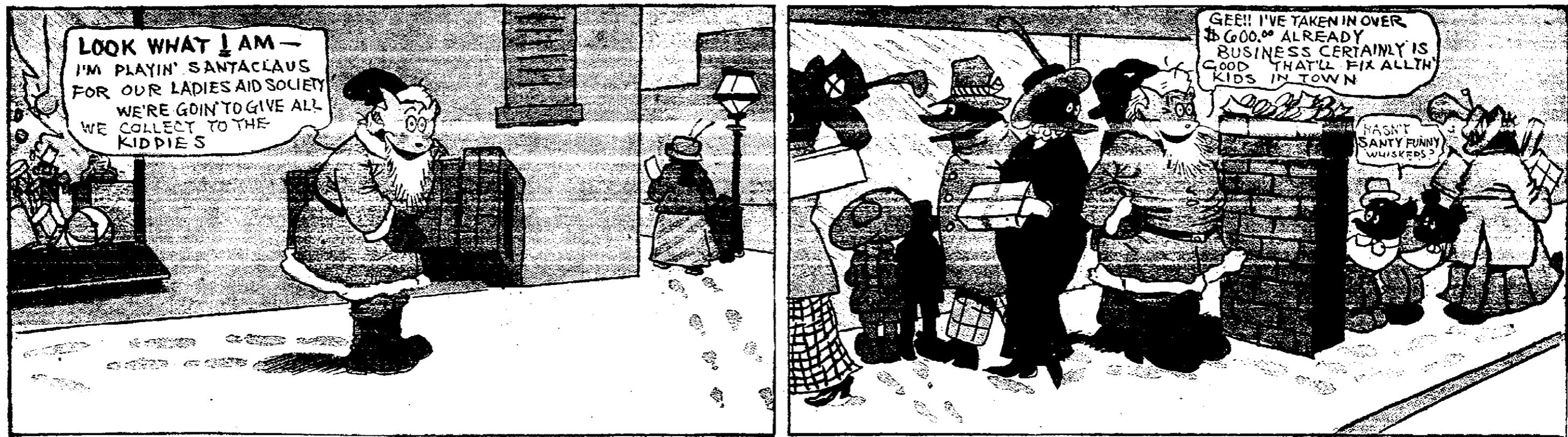
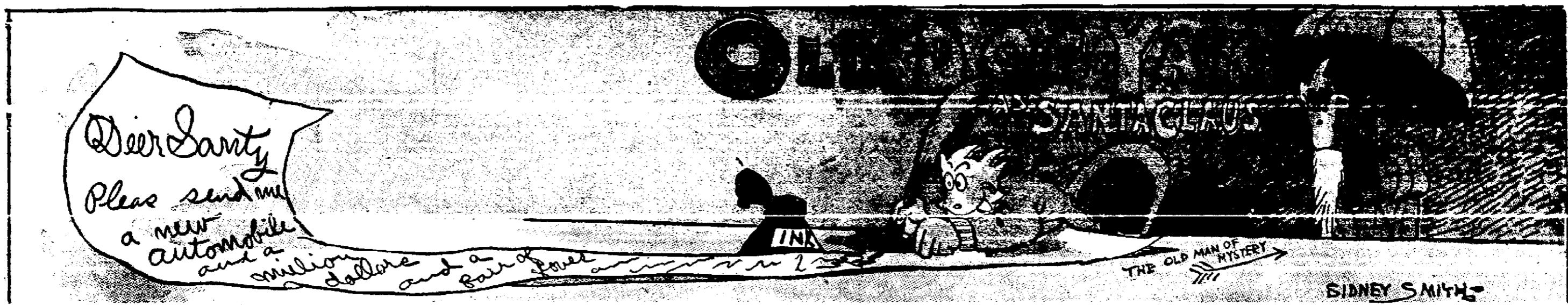
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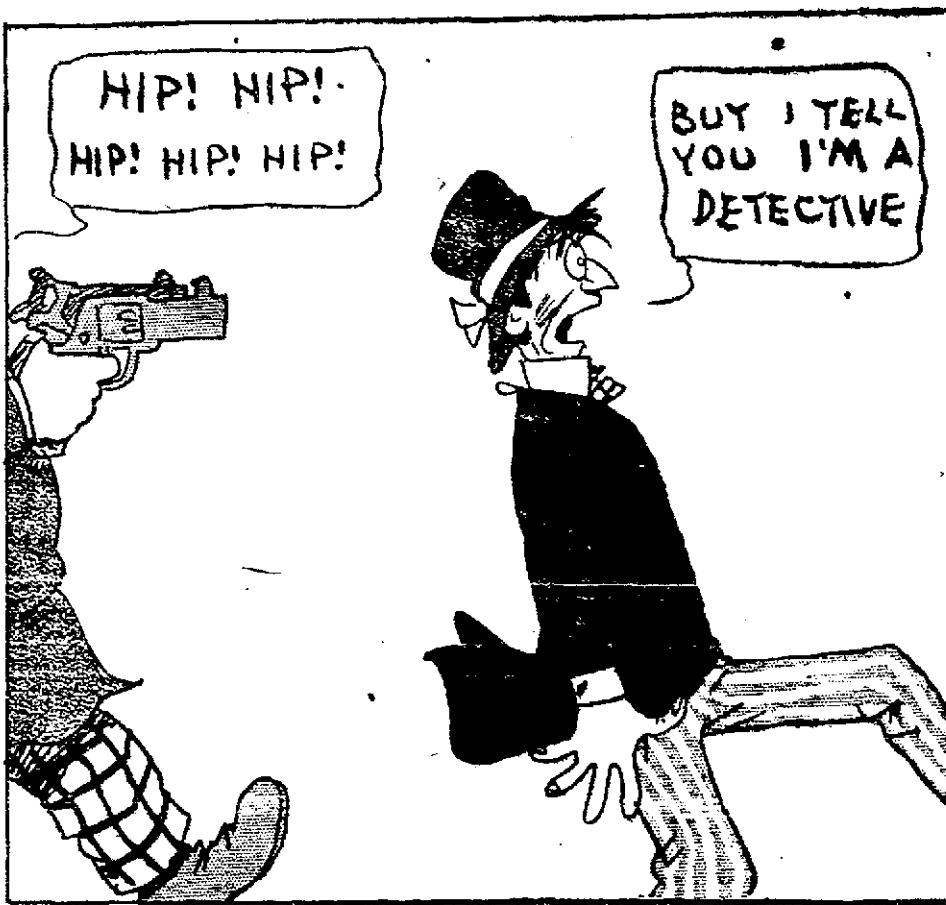
Afternoon tea is always served at 5 o'clock and work ceases for the day. In pleasant weather tea is served out of doors in one of the many reception rooms in the new palace. This is a simple meal of tea, coffee and coffee cake. When the sons and their wives are home they

The Oakland Tribune.

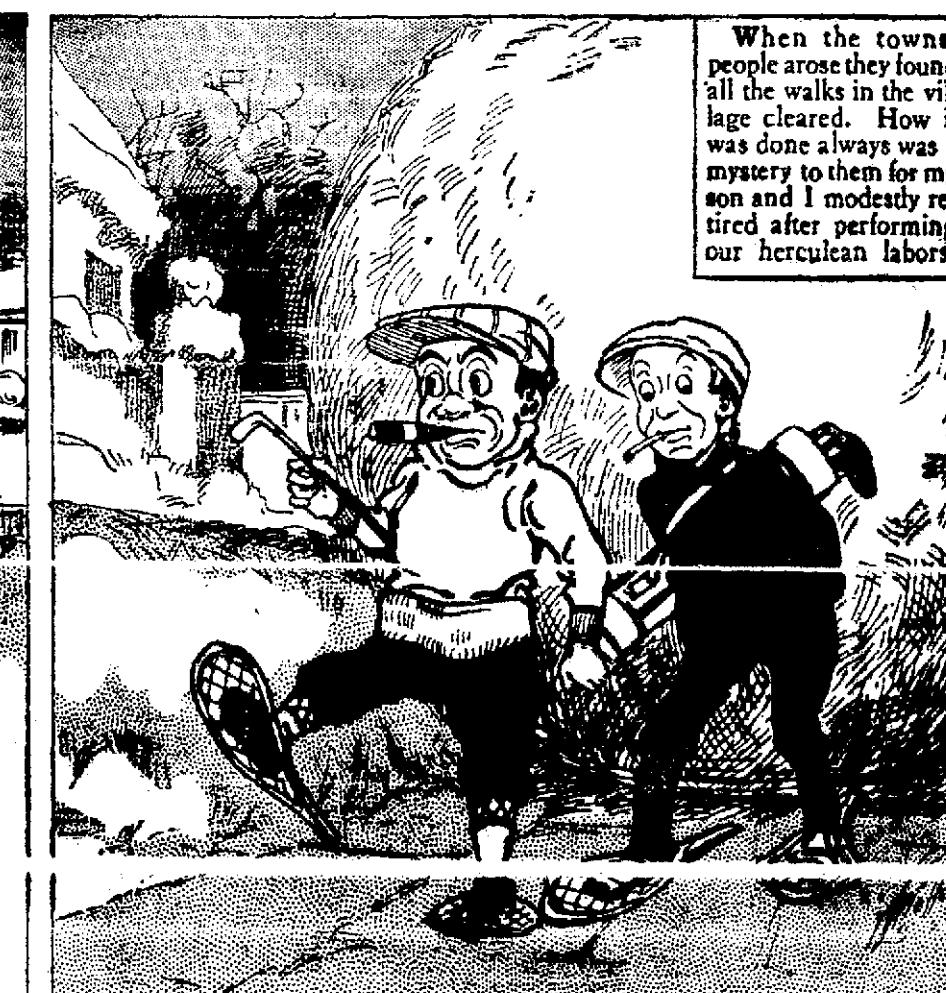
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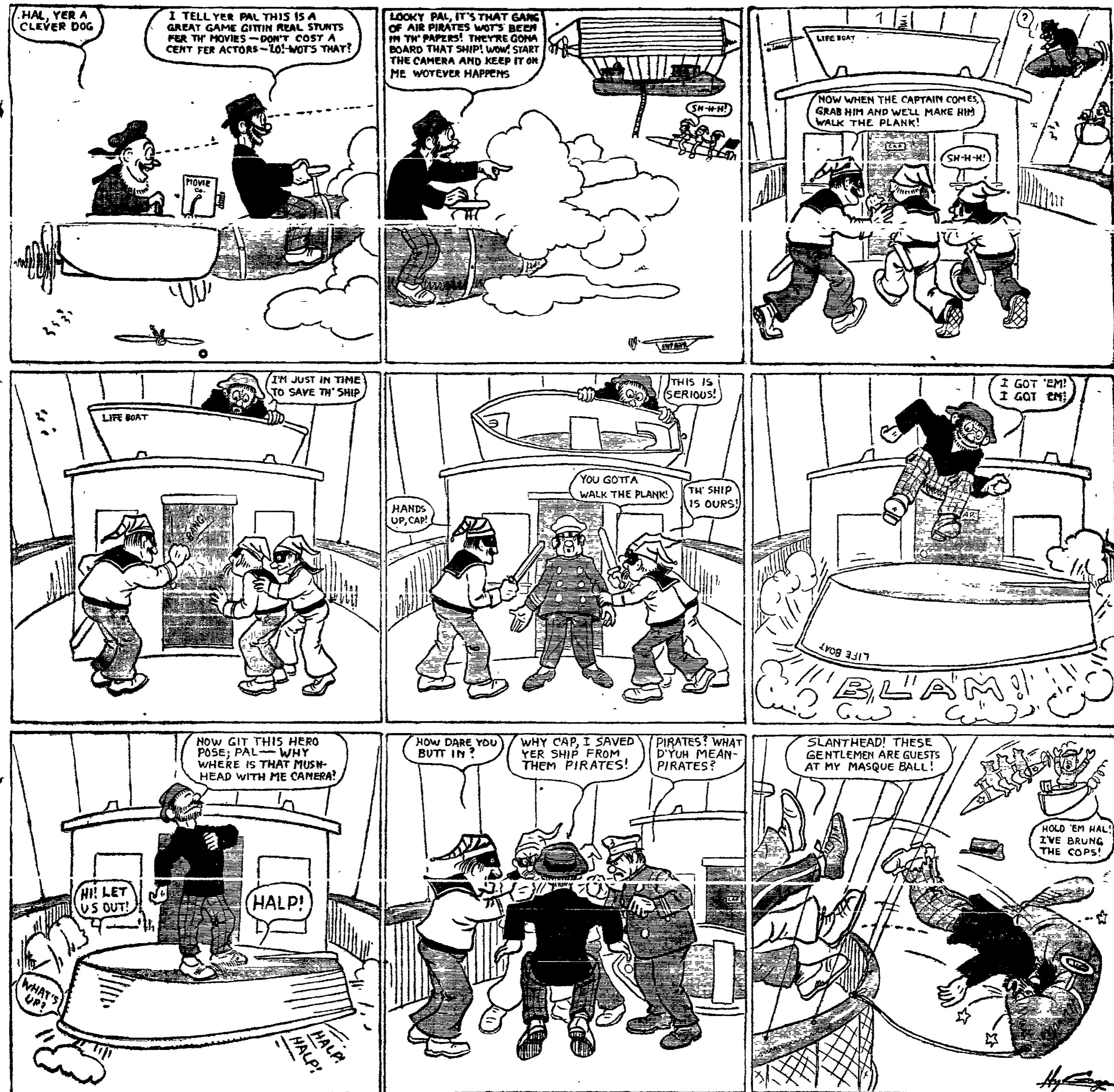
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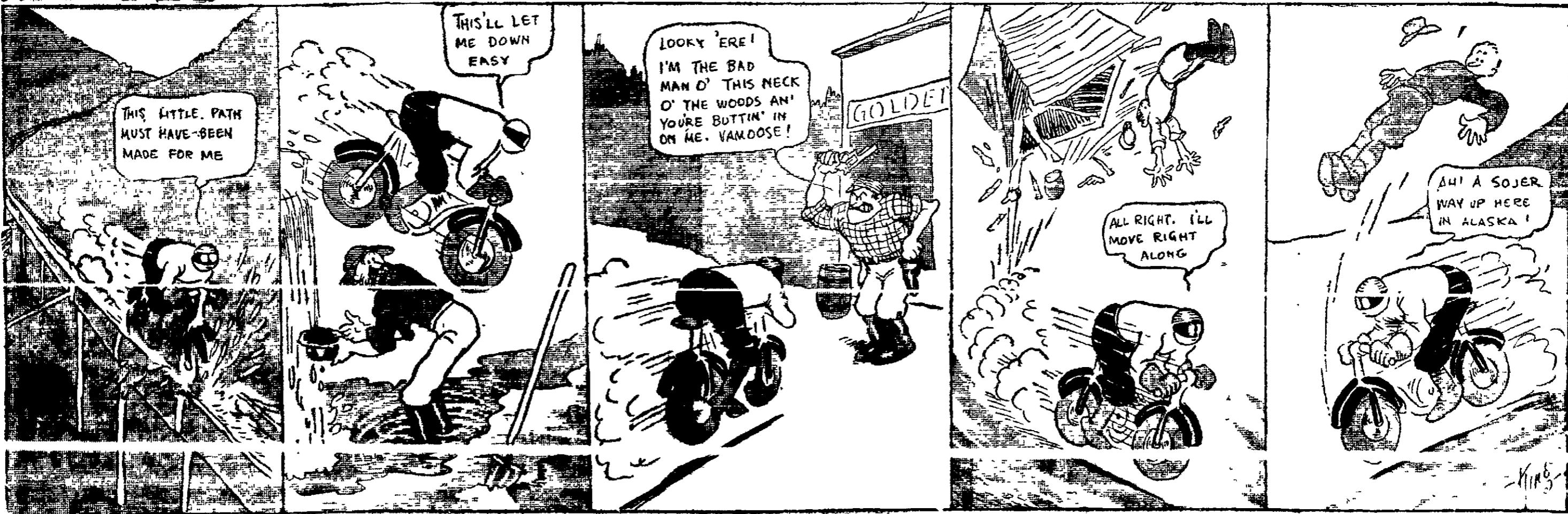
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HUNGRY HALLEY SAVES THE SHIP.



LOOK OUT FOR MOTORCYCLE MIKE!

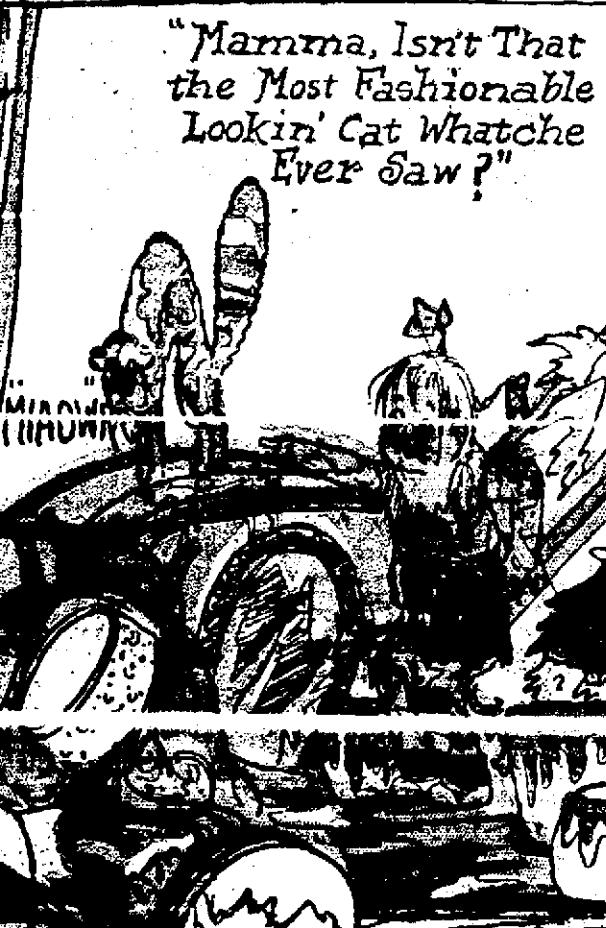
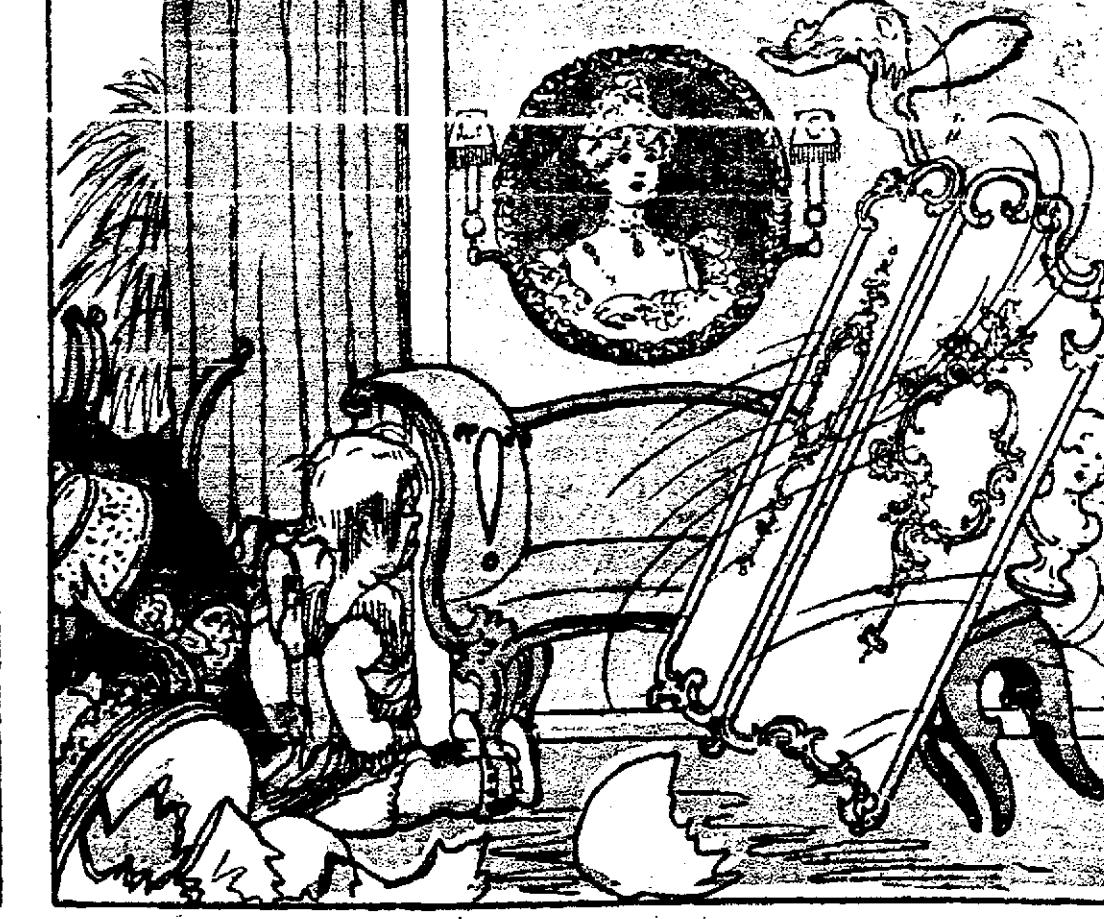
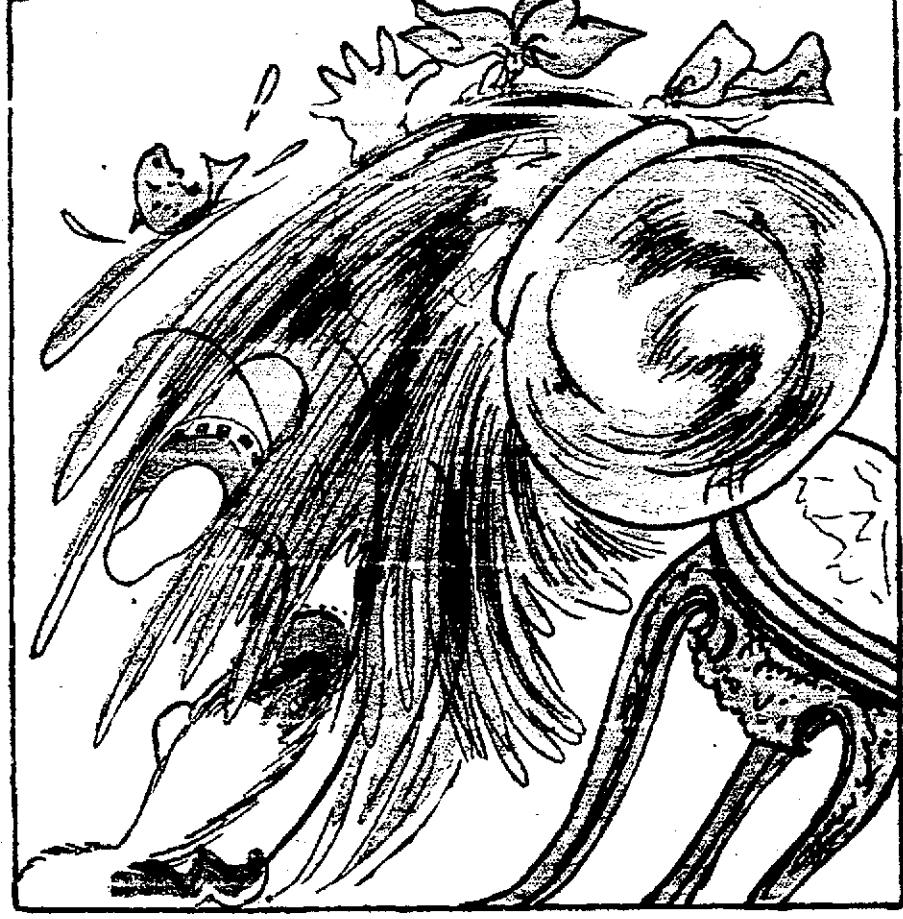
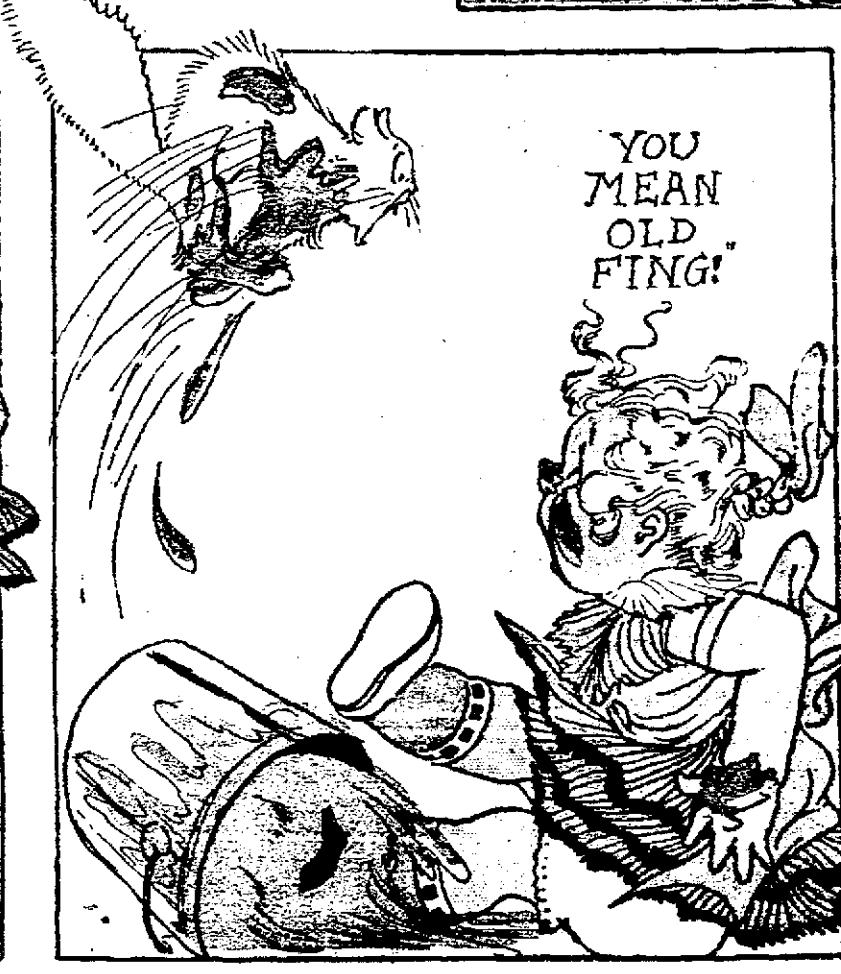
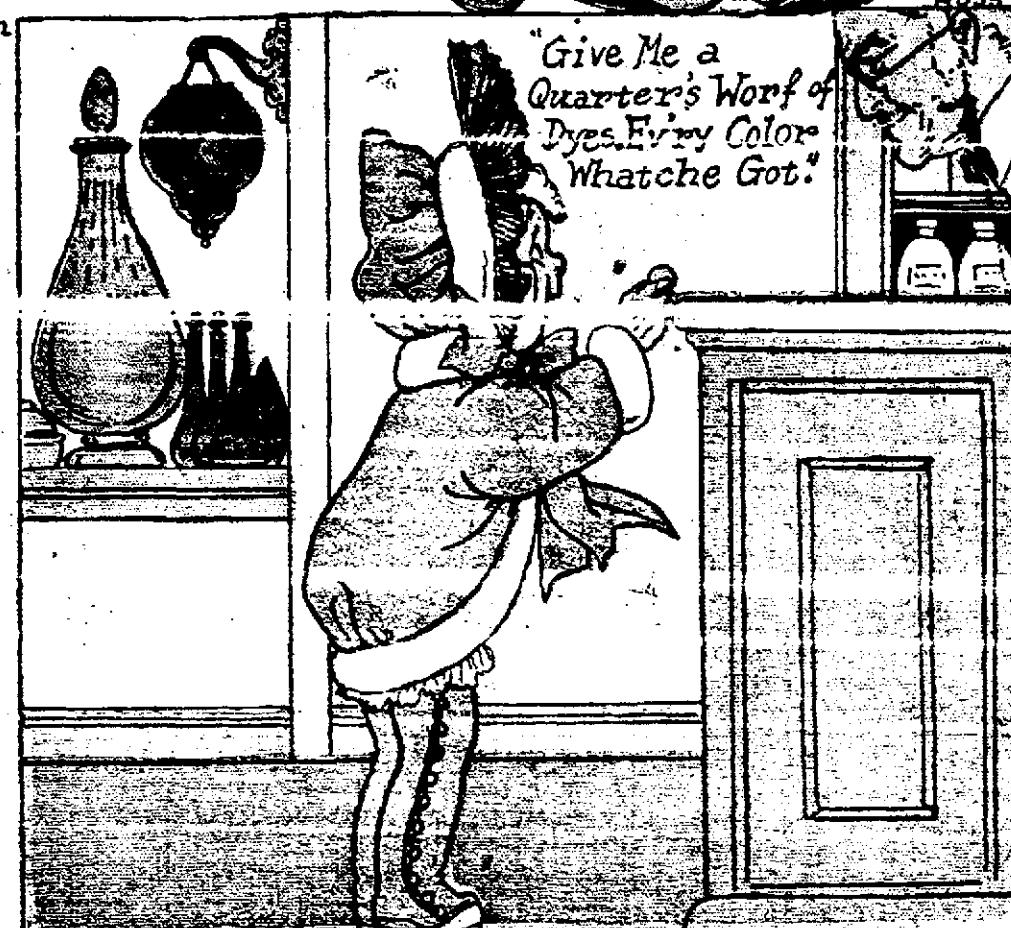
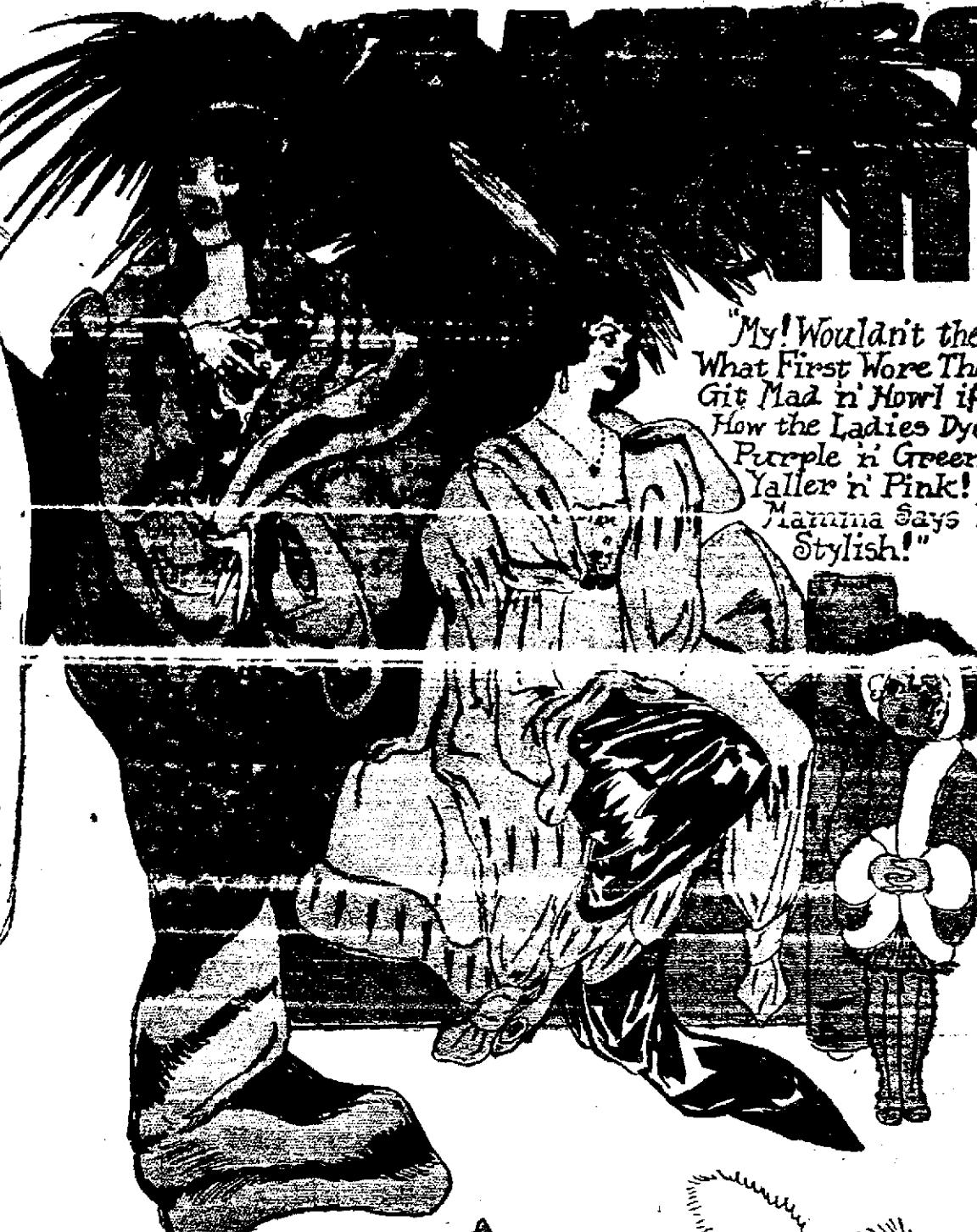


WILDFIRE'S ANGEL

My! Wouldn't the Animals
What First Wore Those Furs
Git Mad n' Howl if They Seen
How the Ladies Dyed em
Purple n' Green n'
Yaller n' Pink! But
Mamma Says It's
Stylish!"

"Give Me a
Quarter's Worth of
Dyes. Every Color
Whatche Got!"

BY PENNY



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GRIDIRON'S FEAST IS MERRY

Nation for One Brief Evening

Mayor-Elect Mitchel Is Greeted by Tammany Maiden

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The Gridiron Club, of the season at the New Willard hotel tonight. President Wilson's illness prevented him from being present, but while this caused many expressions of regret in the course of the dinner, it did not spoil the good time that the club had planned for its guests.

Nearly all the members of the cabinet had seats at the table and there were several representatives of foreign governments, Senators, congressmen and men prominent in business and professional life. The vice-president also was on hand and he enjoyed himself thoroughly. In fact the Hon. Thomas R. Marshall was President of the United States for one evening, so far as the Gridiron entertainment was concerned.

The members of the club met the emergency caused by the President's illness and substituted Mr. Marshall as the guest of honor, though assuming for the evening that he was acting President.

John Pursey Mitchel, the newly elected mayor of New York, was one of the guests at whose expense the club made fun.

Just before Mr. Mitchel was called to speak, one of the club members, dressed as an Indian maiden, entered the banquet hall, followed by a chorus singing a Tammany hymn to the tune of "Follow Me, Follow Me," from "The Belle of New York."

MITCHELL SPEAKS.

Mayor-elect Mitchel was equal to the occasion and made a clever speech.

The guests were hardly seated at the tables when one member arose and announced that the President's condition seemed to have improved in passing the currency bill. He proposed to show the guests how the Gridiron Club would expedite legislative business and asked permission of the committee on banking and currency to pass the bill immediately. This was granted and the members of the committee made up to represent the different Senators entered the banquet hall and distributed to each guest a leather bill fold pocket book. In it the receiver found a wad of gridiron bank notes on which was printed: "You will find this as hard to pass as the currency bill."

In the bill fold also was the menu of the dinner.

The guests had hardly recovered from the dinner when a porter entered the room pushing a large baggage truck. On the truck was an immense hamper, addressed to the Gridiron Club. The hamper was deposited in the well in front of the President of the Club.

President Kaufman wanted to know what it contained and ordered it opened. Out popped an elderly lady, but very energetic, waving "Votes for Women" flags.

"I am Mrs. Pankhurst—Emmeline Pankhurst," said the introducer to the indignant protest of the President of the Club.

Mrs. Pankhurst was invited to take a seat. As she was about to seat herself beside Vice-President Marshall, an customs inspector hurried in and insisted upon examining her bag. From the depths of her hand-bag he produced a blob of sausages and a jar of beans, as evidence that she was evidently preparing for a hunger strike. The customs inspector insisted that before Mrs. Pankhurst could enter the country, at least, would be obliged to ship three cigarettes from her hat.

When this was attempted, indignant suffragette hastily retreated, still waving her flag.

Secretary Bryan and his Chautauqua wanderings came in for several hits by the club.

The Mexican situation was the subject for another skit. During a lull in the dinner a great noise was heard outside and shouts of "Mexico, Viva Mexico; extra! extra!" were heard. A member of the Club rushed in to inform President Kaufman that an ex-

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Gas Victim's Body Lies Five Days in Room

After having lain dead for five days in his room, overcome by fumes from a gas stove which he had neglected to turn off, aged Ossie S. Allen, father of a we-to-be-variant expressionist and a Grand Army veteran, was found yesterday. He had been dead in his apartment since Monday. The aged man, who was employed as a flagman by the Key Route, occupied a trigger room in the Hamilton Hall building, 582 Twentieth street. His landlady, finding the door locked and not having seen him for several days, broke into the room to find him on his bed.

The smell of gas in the structure had not been noticed, say inmates of the building, and the smell of gas into the hall, and which are not attended to. The Board of Health will probably investigate the structure. The Grand Army has taken charge of the body, which was removed to the morgue, and will arrange for the funeral.

The old man had been an employee of the Key Route for several years. An inquest will be held tomorrow by Conner & Schles, at which time a full investigation into the circumstances of his death will be made.

Woman, Rich and 80, Barred From Driving Auto in Pasadena

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Accused by Pasadena police of being a reckless driver, Mrs. Adelaide L. Botsford, 80 years old and healthy, was barred today from driving her 1913 automobile in the business district of Pasadena.

According to the police Mrs. Botsford crossed Colorado street in defiance to Policeman Schultz's signals. When he started after her to explain the traffic laws she sped away. Schultz later visited

to court, where Mrs. Botsford saw Schultz as she started away in the machine.

Schultz ran his automobile in front of the little electric and when Mr. Botsford was thus cornered, Schultz said, she declared she was on her way down town to apologize.

Schultz ordered Mrs. Botsford to appear in court today. When she failed to appear a bench warrant was issued.

WILSON ORDERED TO REMAIN ABED

President's Physician Is Taking Precautions

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—President Wilson continued today to nurse an agravating cold, which has kept him in his room since last Tuesday. Most of the time he has remained in bed on the advice of his physician, chiefly as a measure of precaution to insure complete rest and rapid recovery.

White House officials expect the President back at his desk the early part of next week. It has been his wish to attend the dinner of the Gridiron Club tonight, but he himself thought he was well enough to go, but Dr. G. T. Grayson, United States naval physician, would not permit it, feeling that it was safer not to risk exposure just yet.

Notwithstanding very reassuring reports from the White House, rumors gained circulation that Mr. Wilson's condition was a "warning to his official family."

MINIMIZE ILLNESS.

In order to dispose of these reports, the following statement was given out at the White House:

"Secretary Tumulty stated at the White House that reports of the President's condition being alarming were absolutely groundless. His condition was described as entirely normal and satisfactory except for a cold, which has caused him some discomfort, but has at no time threatened any complications. As a matter of precaution, Dr. Grayson, the attending physician, advised that the President suspend his usual official activities, including the receiving of visitors, in order to throw off the cold and give him an opportunity for rest and recuperation."

The expectation is that the President will resume his official duties early next week. There is nothing in the President's condition to cause the slightest alarm."

FOOTBALL GAME BLAMED.

The President has not been entirely well since he attended the army-navy football game in New York.

The prevalence of varying reports during the day concerning the President's condition led to some uneasiness at the capital until reassuring advices were given direct from the White House.

Copies of official dispatches of importance were shown the President during the day. His temperature was normal. He sat up reading much of the time. He transacted no business, but dictated a letter expressive to the members of the Gridiron Club his regret at being unable to attend the dinner.

"I'll miss you more than you will miss me," wrote the President.

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Millions to Be Paid From Pending Bills

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Speaker Clark, Democratic Leader Underwood and the chairman of house committees which represent appropriation bills, agreed to keep new appropriations within the amount appropriated for the present year, which was \$18,000,000. Millions will be spared off pending bills.

The naval appropriation bill, however, will retain the two battleship program of the administration.

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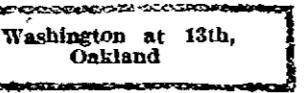
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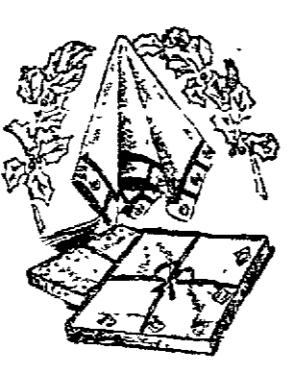
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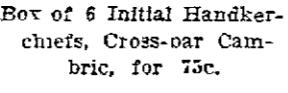


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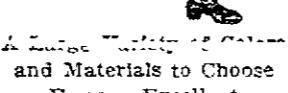


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PAGES SEES FUTURE
FOR LOCAL WOMAN

Says Mrs. George Lane Could Be Sensation in Art World of Paris.

An Oakland society woman, known among her friends only as a painter, would be one of the sensations of Paris art circles, should she take up art as her life work, according to James Pages, noted artist and director of the "Art" in Académie when while on a visit to Oakland, he saw her work.

The discovered genius is Mrs. George Lane, sister-in-law to Secretary of the Interior Franklin A. Lane, and formerly Anna Frances Briggs. Mrs. Lane has done many water color landscapes which have attracted local attention, but never has sought recognition outside the circle of her friends. Pages inspected one of the talented woman's paintings while at the Hotel Oakland, one of her friends, who said "It is wonderful," declared the artist "If Mrs. Lane were to come to Paris I believe she would create a sensation."

near San Jose, and in Morgan Hill, small studio. Many of her landscapes have been exhibited locally.

BASTIAN SENTENCE
IS POSTPONED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—William Bastian, the burglar à la luxe, who stole a fortune by porch climbing operations here, appeared before Judge Cabaniss today for sentence.

Owing to the death of a member of the family of Attorney Thomas O'Connell, the defendant's counsel, the case was continued until Wednesday.

Bastian's pretty sister, who was ignorant of his thieving operation until after his arrest, was present in court.

5635 ARE BOUND
HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Laden with a wealth of season's cheer, in the shape of letters, packages, checks and gifts, our great Christmas ships sailed down the bar today on their way to European ports. Aboard them were 500 passengers who planned to spend the holidays with families and friends on the other side and in their homes.

There were nearly 10,000 mail bags.

RUBS REVOLVED IN FACE.

MASON CITY, Iowa, Dec. 13.—The robber who yesterday held up Lincoln Pence, a blind man who runs a small store near the city, rubbed his revolver against his victim's face in order to prove to him that his assailant was armed. Then Pence, who had hesitated to turn over the small

quickly complied with the hold-up's command.

CANNOT PAWN AEROS.

PARIS, Dec. 13.—There is not money available in the French national pawn shop for loans on aeroplanes. This discovery was made by an airmail in the south of France. With the idea of saving the expense of garage for his machine during the winter he made a flight with it to the nearest large town and there sought in vain to pledge it.

NOTED CUBAN DIES.

HAVANA, Dec. 13.—Dr. Juan Bautista Hernandez Barreiro, president of the Supreme Court is dead. Dr. Barreiro was one of Cuba's most illustrious sons. He was rector of the University before he became a member of the Supreme Court.

SEEK IN VAIN FOR
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Well Educated and Expert
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PURITAN WITCHCRAFT
VERDICT BRINGS \$65

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—A document certifying that a certain Puritan was not guilty of witchcraft in features of the sale of autographs.

WATKIN, Ohio, Dec. 13.—The city engineer of Cincinnati, today was elected manager for Dayton by the five new city commissioners. His salary will be \$12,500 a year and he will begin his work on January 1, 1914.

ORGANIZE DRILL TEAM.

On December 9 Kirkpatrick, council No. 32, of the Knights and Ladies of Security, held its regular session. A drill team was organized and there was initiation of candidates. A large membership was in attendance.

DENIES RECEIVERSHIP
FOR INVESTMENT CO.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 13.—Judge Oliver Weilborn Jr., of the superior court, denied today an application for a receiver for the Los Angeles Investment Company, a corporation said to have assets of \$20,000,000, whose former officers were indicted several weeks ago for alleged fraudulent use of the mails. The application was made by stockholders who objected to having the concern pass into the control of a number of financiers and businessmen who were called in by the old officers to take charge just before the indictments were returned by the federal grand jury.

Judge Weilborn said his decision was based upon the assumption that the stockholders, if dissatisfied with the present management could change it in the annual election of the investment company next month. The indicted officers, including former President Charles Elder and ten former directors, are awaiting the action of the federal grand jury in the federal court next Monday, upon affidavits filed two days ago, alleging that at least one member of the federal grand jury which returned the bills of indictment was prejudiced against them.

The new officers whom it is sought to supplant by a receiver include D. A. Hamburg, a merchant who was chosen president of the investment company, and a number of bankers and capitalists.

THE WIT. RAY DAYTON

DAYTON, Ohio, Dec. 13.—Albert J. Day, engineer of Cincinnati, today was elected manager for Dayton by the five new city commissioners. His salary will be \$12,500 a year and he will begin his work on January 1, 1914.

WILL GIVE BALL.

OAKLAND, Dec. 13.—The eight sailors from the abandoned

SCORE TO SCOUR
CITY FOR NAMES

Hart Secures Blanks for Veri-
fication of His Dep-
uties.

A score of verification deputies will be placed in the field by the backers of the proposed initiative liquor ordinance. H. Hart, who filed the proposed initiative, obtained blanks for the verification of his deputies yesterday, and will have his men sworn in Monday. They will immediately commence work.

It is announced that the petition will be filed at 12 m. on Saturday, and 7,000 signatures or close to twice the number necessary to make a special election necessary.

There is a rumor that a large fund has been gathered to carry through the campaign for the ordinance prepared by the liquor men.

The names will be verified after being filed, and when the verification has been made by the city clerk the city council will have ten days in which to set the date for an election.

YOUNG NOT TO LEAD PENNSY.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Louis A. Young, who last week was re-elected captain of the University of

the capitol today and Albert J. Day will be graduated in June, but is expected to return to the post-graduate course.

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JAPAN HONORS EXCHANGE
PROFESSOR TO AMERICA

TOKIO, Japan, Dec. 13.—The importance attached in Japan to missions such as that of Shoshuke Sato, who is proceeding to the United States as exchange professor, is indicated by the official farewell dinners given in his honor by Baron Mankino, the foreign minister, and Baron Okada, minister of education. Baron Okada declared that visits of this kind are of great value in increasing mutual knowledge of the sciences among Americans and in removing cases of misunderstanding."

Professor Shoshuke Sato is dean of the agricultural department of Tohoku University. He was formerly a student at Johns Hopkins University.

FOUR TIMES GIVEN UP
AS DEAD; WILL RECOVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Edward Hooker, four times declared beyond hope of recovery because of a distorted heart, brought on by over exercise, is here en route to Bermuda. An American Hooker, son of

and he is a state senator in that state. The normal heart is four inches thick, but Mr. Hooker's was ten inches when he was pronounced lifeless. It is now down to six inches and he believes he will recover.

FOREIGN VESSEL TO
BRING BACK SAILORS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The eight sailors from the abandoned

STREET CARS CRASH
TOGETHER IN MIST

Sioux City Wrapped in Fog
Denser Than Ever in Her
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SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Dec. 13.—A record breaking fog enveloped Sioux City this morning. Three collisions occurred on the street car lines and all traffic was greatly delayed.

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Is a Citizen; Spurns Title Oaklander Prefers to Vote

Ilar Kalich Left Big Estate and Patent of Nobility

To be an American citizen and vote the Republican ticket or be an Australian nobleman and not vote at all was the problem confronting Ilar Kalich, Oakland restaurant man, when yesterday he received notice that the death of a distant relative had left him in possession of the title of "count," considerable estate in the country of his father, Kalich, after considering the matter at length, decided that he would stay in America and will not, therefore, accept the title unless he may without going to

The new heir to millions here in Oakland for many years and is prominently connected with Oakland fraternal organizations. He is associated with John Nitrovich, owner of a local restaurant, and is a prominent worker in the Moose Club.

"I don't object to the estate," said Kalich, "but as for relinquishing American citizenship, that is another matter. I hardly believe I care to when I stop to think that we have no more to do with the old country and here I am a staunch Republican."

Kalich will make arrangements to claim the estate from this side of the Atlantic.



ILAR KALICH.

REDS AT LAST TAKE DUST OF BLUES

Senator Root Says Economic Theories Belong to Nebraskan.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Senator Root of New York made one of the most notable speeches during the currency debate at today's session of the Senate, and in it he charged that the present bill represents the economic theories of William J. Bryan, "which financial heresy twice has been repudiated by the American people."

"Europe is an armed camp," he said, "and if war comes, our securities drop. Under this bill the government of the United States is discredited, and should an emergency arise, whereby, as in the past, we should have to resort to the use of government bonds to supply the needed gold for an emergency we would be at a great disadvantage."

"I am in favor of doing entirely away with the speculative money in New York, but that is quite a different matter from doing away with the great masses of our securities which are the instrument of credit."

CURRENCY "INCREASES."

"We started out to provide an elastic currency, but this bill provides for an expensive currency," said the Senator. "It provides for a currency that may be increased, always increased, but there is no provision compelling its reduction."

Senator Root admitted the federal reserve board had discretionary powers to limit the issue of currency, but asserted that so far as the proposed new law itself is concerned there was no specific restraint on the constant increase of the value of currency.

"There will be an accuracy or else that will absorb the maximum which the reserves of the banks will permit," he said, "and it will require the exercise of the extreme of the authority of the federal reserve board to hold it in check."

The new bill so far as specific restraints upon the expansion of the currency were concerned, would not help to check panics, the Senator said. It has been the history of this and other countries, he added, that panics follow periods of "easy money."

WANTS BRO. CALLED DEAD TO FIX ESTATE

Three Thorough Searches Fail to Find John Kopp, Heir to Fortune.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Albert Kopp, 75 Perry street, today applied to the surrogate for an order declaring his brother, John A. Kopp, dead in order to settle the disposition of a fortune of \$100,000 which has been awaiting John Kopp since 1901. Kopp, when last heard from, was in Oroville, Cal., to which place his mother sent him \$75 to finance a trip to Quincy, Cal. This was in 1888 and Kopp never has been heard from since. His mother passed away in 1901, leaving a large estate, of which the missing Kopp's share is about \$160,000. The brother declares the family has made three separate and exhaustive searches for the missing man.

BONNER RESIGNS AS STATE COMMITTEEMAN

ALTRUAS, Dec. 13.—E. C. Bonner, central committee of Modoc county, who was made a member of the Progressive State central committee at the annual meeting of the state at San Francisco last Saturday, has forwarded his resignation as such to D. A. Ryan, chairman of the State committee.

Bonner gave as his reason that while he had not changed his principles in the least, the new organization of a third party in California at this time both unwise and premature and that he could not leave the Republican party.

The Republican county central committee of Modoc county has been called to meet for the 17th of January, 1914, keeping the party intact.

READING ROOM GROWS IN PUBLIC FAVOR

WALNUT CREEK, Dec. 13.—A secret society has been presented to the free reading room by Mrs. Joseph Silveira. The reading room is steadily increasing in popularity. 150 books and 33 magazines circulating in November, the first full month since the reading room became a branch of the county library. Of the books, about 100 were taken out by adults and 40 by children.

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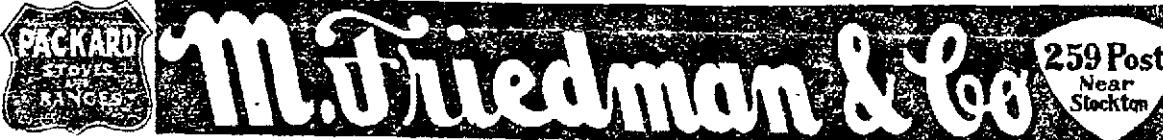
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SAN FRANCISCO

COLLECTOR SHORT IN ACCOUNTS, CHARGE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 13.—As a result of alleged peculations from the Pacific Gas and Electric Company to the extent of between \$1,000 and \$1,500, a warrant for the arrest of William A. Murphy, collector for the company, probably will be issued in the near future.

Except to admit that Murphy is short in his accounts, and that an investigation of his affairs to determine the exact amount of his thefts, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company officials decline to discuss the case.

Murphy is under bond, taken out in one of the surety companies, which protects the company, and the surety company will be held responsible. In event criminal action is brought it will come from the surety company.

NEARLY BILKS MAYER.

FRESNO, Dec. 13.—Posing as a wealthy farmer of Council, Idaho, a man giving the first part of this week laid the foundation for a swindle that would have amounted to several thousand dollars when he made the acquaintance of Mayor Show. Wore to his ranch at Reedley for \$10,000, negotiated with a real estate firm for the purchase of two homes in this city, and was then forced to make his escape from his room in the Fulton hotel with only \$150 received on a bonus check from the First National Bank of Reedley while police detectives waited for him in the lobby of the hotel.

FRATERNITY HAS BANQUET.

Members of the Sigma Nu Fraternity at the University of California gathered last night at Kessler's cafe for an informal banquet given in honor of initiates. About twenty-five guests attended the affair.

TAUSSIG WILL TALK 1915 TO HISTORANS

Fair Secretary Accompanied
East by Prof. Morse
Stephens.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—J. Taussig, secretary of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, and chairman of the division of exploitation, left Saturday for the East to attend the annual convention of the American Historical Society. He will be accompanied by Henry Morse Stephens of the University of California. While in the East Mr. Taussig will also attend the exposition.

CLUB BARS RIGGING.

PACIFIC GROVE, Dec. 13.—The no-ragging rule has gone into effect with the women of the Civic Club.

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Women's Chamois Suede Gloves: extra fine, well-wearing gloves in grey, brown and black. Special pair... 65c

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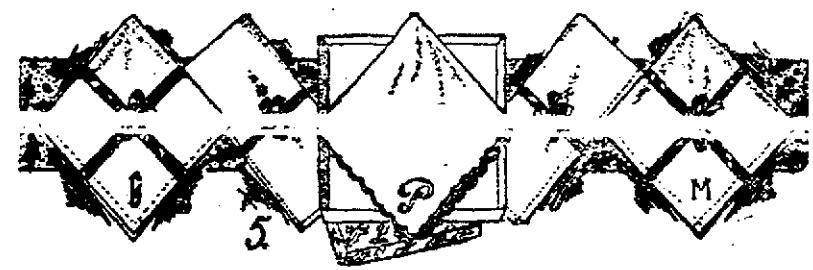
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Women's Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs embroidered with neat initials. Six to the box; actual 50c values. Special, box 39c

Women's and Gents' Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, put up in attractive holiday boxes of six. Very attractive values at special, box 65c

Women's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs with hand embroidered initials. Come six to the box. Special, box 69c

Make "Her" Happy with a Silk Petticoat

on Christmas morning. Our wonderful varieties and amazingly low prices will please the shrewdest holiday shopper. Just a few of the many specials:

Silk Jersey Petticoats of extra heavy quality silk, in all the leading fall shades. Genuine \$3.00 values. Special, each \$3.45

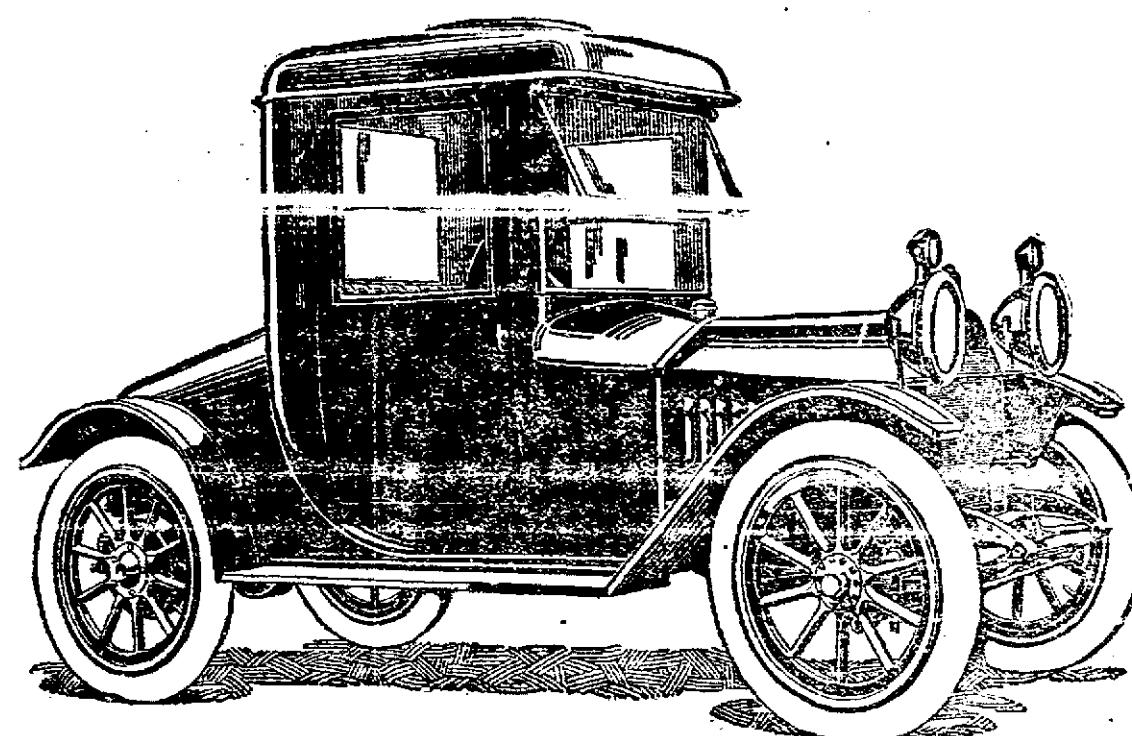
All-Silk Jerseys and Crepe de Chine Petticoats in every imaginable coloring. Klosit styles. Special \$5.00 Lingerie, Silk, Crepe, Net and beautiful Shadow Lace Christmas

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Values up to \$50.00. Smart, semi-tailored models of fine quality velvet, richly lined with best quality Peau de Cygne. All the latest style features are cleverly shown, such as belted or sash effects, with long kimono shoulders. Come in black, navy blue, etc.

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Nothing is more appropriate for a Christmas gift to a lady than a pretty set of Furs, and our assortment at above price covers a most unusually wide range of the latest furs, such as Civet Cat, Muffin, Raccoon, Jay Mink, Imitation Mole, etc. Values up to \$30.00. Special, each \$19.95

Bring the Children to See Our Dolls and Toyland

Santa Claus will be on the fourth floor tomorrow afternoon from 2 to 4 p.m. and every child accompanied by an adult will receive free a beautiful Christmas souvenir. For Monday's selling we have arranged the following 6 extra specials:

\$1.25 Doll Buggies \$1.09
24-in. Kid Body Dolls 35c
\$1.00 Magic Lanterns 75c

Erector Games, spec... 50c
65c Roller Skates, pr. 48c
Boy Scout Books, ea. 25c

Wool Comforters

Actual \$5.00 values. Filled with pure Australian lamb's wool. Full 3-pound weight, in size 72x84 \$3.95

Silk Comforters

Very attractive looking, covered with finest quality silk. Finished with silk mulberry borders. Come in blue, pink and lavender. \$6.50

ELOPES WITH MAN HER FATHER FIRED

Girl Uses Rope to Escape With Chauffeur Who Was Discharged.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 13.—The midnight elopement on August 8 of Dorothy Eckhoff, 16-year-old daughter of Clemens Eckhoff, of 3219 Sullivan avenue, a furniture dealer, with Lloyd Zerface, formerly the family chauffeur, was revealed when the girl's father announced that the couple would be married for a second time in a Catholic church at Elwood, Ind. This second ceremony has been duly performed.

Mrs. Eckhoff slid down a rope from her bedroom and went with Zerface to Elwood, his old home, where three days later the couple were married by Zerface's father, a justice of the peace. Zerface, who is 21 years old, lost his job as chauffeur about six months ago when Mr. and Mrs. Eckhoff discovered he was in love with Dorothy and that she reciprocated his attachment.

At the time of the elopement Zerface was employed by Charles Peters of No. 6220 Westminster place and lived at the Peters home. It appears that after Zerface was discharged by Eckhoff he contrived to meet the girl secretly. She had told her parents frankly when they questioned her, that she loved the young chauffeur.

About 2 a.m. August 8, Eckhoff, who was unable to sleep, went to his daughter's room and found a rope dangling from a window from which the screen had been removed. The rope was tied to the brass bedstead. Dorothy was missing.

Eckhoff telephoned to the Peters home and learned that Zerface also was missing. He employed private detectives to trace the pair, who were found a few days later at the parental home of Zerface in Elwood, a quiet little Hoosier village.

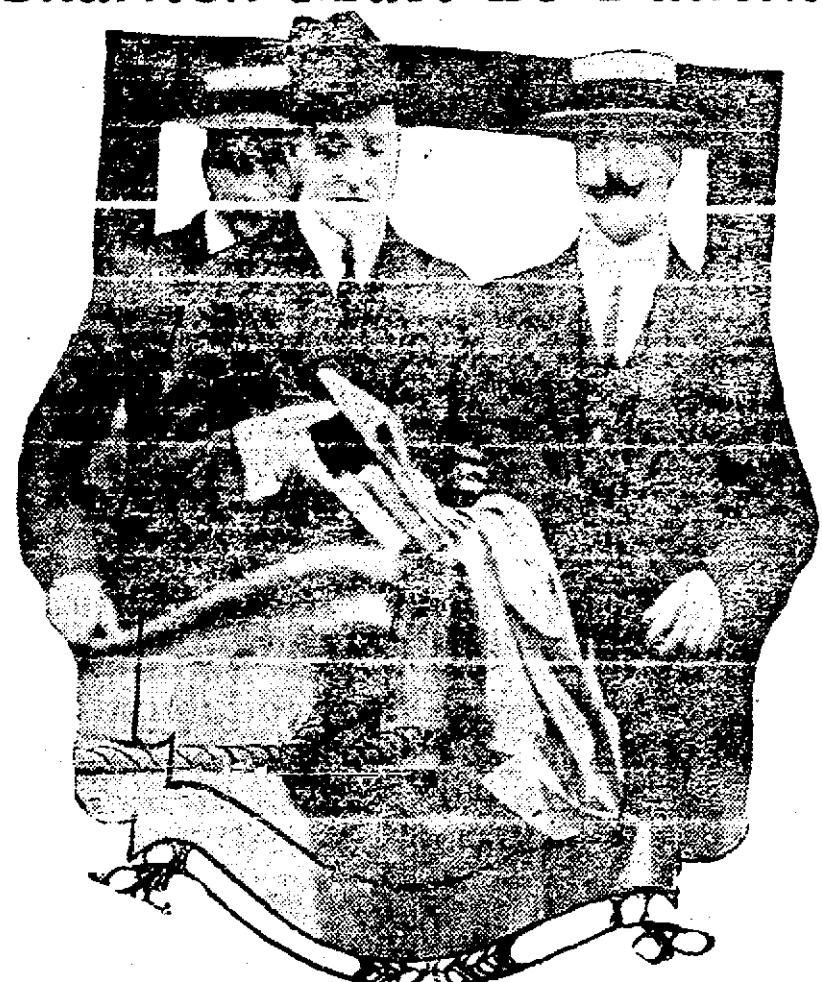
Immediately upon learning that Zerface and Dorothy were there, Eckhoff and his son, H. C. Eckhoff, of 2255 East Clarence avenue, hastened there. They went to police headquarters in the town, and the elder Eckhoff demanded that his daughter be produced forthwith. It is reported Eckhoff evinced such anger that the village chief of police refused to let him interview any member of the Zerface family until he gave assurance that he was not armed.

Eckhoff took the hint that his daughter had every weapon. He claimed apparently when he was told Dorothy and Zerface were married. He had an interview with the bride, telling her that she would be welcomed at home, but her husband never would be received there. The Eckhoffs left Elwood and arranged for a church wedlock and the ceremony performed by Zerface at the family home. The pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic church was selected to officiate.

ROAD MAN'S "GOAT"
THE DIVED. Dec. 12. Women bussed to the roads no hand in hand, according to the complaint of Road Commissioner Peter Hansen, filed with the city. He says every woman in the city has said, "That's the reason we have to be so irregular." Women all have different ways.

Women early in week

Must Stay in Jail 4 Months Charlton Must Be Patient



PORTER CHARLTON, WHO IS IN JAIL AT COMO AWAITING HIS TRIAL FOR MURDER.

ROME, Dec. 13.—Porter Charlton is given every facility which still four months or more to wait law allows and a little margin besides which the authorities wint at. For instance, he was visited the other day by Mr. and Mrs. Lee of New York, intimate friends of his family, who motored specially to Come to see him. The regulation time for the interview was stretched out by more than half an hour, and the friends were left for a time quite alone, in defiance of prison rules.

"He looks bully," said Mr. Lee after the interview, "and will come through all right, if I'm not mistaken."

HATS ARE CAUSE FOR MANY ILLS; NEW THEORY

FOND DU LAC, Dec. 13.—James McVeigh, Montreal, Canada, is here to say that the best way to escape disease is to wear no hat. McVeigh was held in justice court here to act as a witness in an assault and battery case. He wore no hat, and his hair is 10 inches

"Where is your hat?" inquired the judge.

"I don't wear one," answered McVeigh.

"I don't go without a hat to attract attention," explained McVeigh. "God made hair to protect men's heads and when wear hate they interfere with nature. That's why they get bald."

"I never have coughs, colds or any other disease hat wearers are more or less afflicted with, because my hair furnishes me better protection than any hat could."

THREATEN MASHER WITH LYNCHING

Crowd Tries to Take Annoyer Who Pulled Gun From Policeman.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Crowds of angry men at Manhattan street and Broadway threatened to lynch an alleged subway "masher" when he was arrested after a fight.

The prisoner, who said he was William Smith, 27 years old, of Cleveland, begged Policeman Toomey to protect him when the crowd began making threats. After being taken to the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station he was charged with violating the Sullivan law, two men accusing him of having threatened them with a pistol.

Miss Adelaide O'Brien, 23 years old, of 500 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, is the young woman who accuses Smith.

Miss O'Brien entered a subway train at the One Hundred and Eighty-first street station. Smith was seated opposite her. According to her story to the police, the salesman attempted to attract her attention. To avoid him she left the car and went into the one head. Smith, she says, followed, continuing his importunate actions.

Miss O'Brien appealed to the guard. The latter told Smith to behave or leave the car. The two men then engaged in an altercation, which lasted until Manhattan street had been reached. Miss O'Brien left the train to go to her home and Smith followed.

Louis Shimel of 301 Thirteenth street, West New York, N. J., and Robert Hill of 130 Clairmont avenue, the Bronx, were mounting the station steps as Miss O'Brien was descending. She appealed to Hill to protect her. Hill told Smith to go about his business and cease annoying the young woman, whereupon she according to the story told by both Hill and Shimel, whipped out a revolver and pressed the muzzle against Hill's stomach, threatening to shoot unless he was the last to completely turn.

GIVES POLICE HARD BATTLE.

Miss O'Brien screamed and Shimel sounded a police whistle. Smith turned and started to run down the steps, followed by Hill and Shimel, both blowing whistles. At the bottom of the steps Smith ran into the arms of Policeman Toomey, giving the latter and Hill and Shimel a hard battle was ensued.

Miss O'Brien told of the annoyance to which she had been subjected, after which Hill and Shimel both informed the policeman they had seen Smith throw away a revolver, which was picked up and turned over to the crowd.

A big crowd, attracted by the whistles, heard the stories told the policeman. Excited by this and the fainting condition of Miss O'Brien, they became incensed at the prisoner and soon cried of "Lynch him!" "Hang him!" "Beat him!" "Get a

a number of women in the station and on the street. Only the coolness of Toomey and the quick arrival of other police men averted serious trouble.

COMMITTEE TO MEET.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—The Republican National Committee will meet here Tuesday. Among the first National Committeemen to arrive was ex-Senator Howell Sanders of Tennessee. He has joined the Progressives in their fight for a convention next year. Chairman Chas. D. E. Hill will arrive tomorrow or Monday.

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Senator's Brother Would Be Governor

WATSONVILLE, Dec. 13.—Edward White, brother of former United States Senator Stephen M. White, was announced as a candidate for Governor on the Democratic ticket at a booster meeting here this afternoon.

JOE TINKER BEATEN BADLY BY DOORMAN

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Joe Tinker, short stop and former manager of the Cincinnati Reds, was beaten about the face, his nose cut, his ears bruised and his collar torn when he tried to enter the office of the sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune tonight. Tinker did not see a doorman, past whom he brushed and whose call to stop he did not heed. The doorman bruised him severely before some of the newspaper men saw that it was Tinker who was being handled and rescued the ballplayer from the doorman and two of his aides. Tinker finally shook hands with the doorman, entered his machine and drove home.

BECK-GORDON CASE MUST GO TO TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Superior Judge Graham today ruled that the complaint of Arthur A. Beck, an engineer of Oakland, who is suing Philip K. Gordon, general passenger agent of the Sunset Lines of the Southern Pacific, must go to trial.

The trial is for \$50,000 damages for the alleged theft by Gordon of his affections of his wife, Lillian. The court has several times requested that the complaint, strewn with flowery language, be amended. Today he announced that it was satisfactory in its present form.

GOLD MINE IN EARTH UNDER HIS GARAGE

GRASS VALLEY, Cal. Dec. 13.—Some years ago a city in the Sacramento valley selected itself as a location where there was gold stored in the ground and gold below, referring to the golden oranges and the golden in that locality.

A. B. Snyder, owner of a garage in this city, nearly parallel to the expression, as he is taking out the dirt and the gold below the floor.

The latter is so promising that he thinks of giving up the business of attending to his garage to the business of attending to mining the rich ledge beneath the building.

The gold mine beneath the garage was discovered in 1850, and the indications are

that the men who knew considerable about mining, noticed that gold could be seen in the rock taken out. So good were the indications that the gold was taken out and the mine was given up and Snyder sold the mine to a man named Johnson.

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ONCE COLORED, BUT NOW IS WHITE MAN

PERRYBURG, O., Dec. 13.—Thirty years ago, James Wilson, colored, aged seventy-nine, was as brown as a toad. Now he's completely white. Wilson has been examined by physicians at the Jefferson Hospital in Philadelphia and at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore and by hundreds of other doctors.

His skin has been tested and the skin studied and it was found that the skin had been back to back before he was born.

Wilson was born in Pittsburgh at the time, but was forced to give up the trade when later his hands



PASTORS WON'T HELP OUT BALDWIN

Nyack Preachers Will Not Officiate at Wedding With Miss Duryea.

Refuse to Make Heiress Bride of Wall Street Broker.

SILVESTER E. SMITH.

M. E. SYLVESTER E. SMITH, 2809 South Grand Ave., St. Louis, Mo., friend a sick man can have.

"A few months ago I came here in a wretched condition. Exposure and dampness had ruined my once robust health. I had catarrhal affections of the bronchial tubes, and for a time there was a doubt as to my recovery.

"My good honest old doctor advised me to take Peruna, which I did and in a short time my health began to improve very rapidly; the bronchial trouble gradually disappeared, and in three months my health was fully restored.

"Accept a grateful man's thanks for his restoration to perfect health."

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna.

—Advertisement.

NOTED FAMILIES AND FORTUNES TO BE UNITED

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Two prominent New York families will be united on January 13, 1914, by the wedding of Miss Gladys Eleanor Guggenheim, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, and Oscar William Strauss, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Strauss, at the Hotel St. Regis.

The wedding will unite two of the largest fortunes in the city.

The engagement of the daughter of the copper millions and the son of the well-known merchant and pub- licist was announced last summer, while Miss Guggenheim was abroad with her parents, but the date of the marriage was not known until the young couple obtained their marriage license.

Miss Guggenheim and Strauss are equally well known and popular in New York's younger social circles.

Miss Guggenheim's father is one of seven brothers, the others being the Messrs. Isaac, Simon, William, Murray, Benjamin and Solomon R. Guggenheim. While in New York, the family live at the St. Regis.

Strauss' father was the Progressive candidate for Governor of New York last year and prior to that had long been United States Ambassador to Turkey. His sisters are Mrs. Edward Schaeffer and Mrs. Leonard Heckscher. Nathan Strauss is his uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Strauss and their son spent the summer in Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Guggenheim and their daughter also spent the summer abroad at Kinsington, Germany, and in France.

Miss Guggenheim was introduced to society at Long Branch two seasons ago. She is very active in charitable work in this city and has taken special interest in the French Hospital.

SAYS LABOR LAWS VIOLATED

PITTSBURG, Dec. 13.—Declaring that thousands of women and children in the Pittsburg district are employed in violation of the new child labor law, Francis Feehan, first vice-president of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor and chief inspector of the state department of labor, today announced plans for enforcement of the statute.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—When entering the Quai de Marine recently Mademoiselle Delume, a girl of 16, stumbled into the Seine. She was swimming stupidly toward the bank when a boatman, who had seen the accident, came to her help and dragged her to shore. As soon as she had got her breath and voice again Mademoiselle Delume employed them to berate her rescuer.

"What did you need to come meddling for?" she said. "I've fallen into the Seine 20 times before and got out without any trouble."

Following her rescue to the police station, where he went to claim his reward for the rescue, and there registered a formal protest from its radio inspectors at Chicago and Cleveland.

About fifty vessels are preparing to install wireless equipment, the inspectors report, as the result of the decision. The Cleveland Inspector says that just before the storm three vessels cleared from Detroit, one with wireless, two without. The former, after attempting to warn the other two, returned to port and was saved, while those without wireless were lost.

"ACTIVELY SUICIDAL" VERDICT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—"Actively suicidal" was the diagnosis of the physicians of the Kings County Hospital today in the case of Miss Blanche Williams, taken there from her home, 265 Albany avenue, Brooklyn, after she had tried to end her life by gas.

The young woman, who is 18 years old, has run away from home several times to earn her own living. Once she went as far as Duluth.

STIRRING SPEECH.

Renewed interest is being taken in the question of Welsh disestablishment of immense importance to the church and churchmen. A stirring speech against the bill was delivered recently by the Archbishop of Canterbury, and a demonstration was arranged to be held in London as a protest against the Government proceeding with the measure, which under the Parliament Act automatically becomes law after its next passing by the House of Commons, no matter what action the House of Lords takes.

There is no doubt that much of the apathy which heretofore had been shown by the laymen of the Church of England in regard to the bill arises from the fact that, like Home Rule for Ireland, it has been suggested that the bill should be the subject of compromise. On the other hand, the whole body of Welsh nonconformist opinion, backed by co-religionists in every part of the United Kingdom.

BITTERLY OPPOSE.

For forty years now the Welsh nonconformists have been urging the disestablishment of the Church in their principality, and today disestablishment is supported by the whole Liberal Party, as well as the Nationalists, and there are many Unionists who believe that it would not be a bad thing for the Church. Most of the Opposition, however, bitterly oppose it.

The bill among other things provides that so far as Wales and Monmouth are concerned, the Church of England will cease to be established by law; all cathedrals and ecclesiastical corporations will be dissolved; the bishops of the four Welsh dioceses will cease to be members of the House of Lords; the present ecclesiastical law will cease to exist as law, and no ecclesiastical court will have any coercive jurisdiction; the bishops and clergy will not be members of or be represented in the Houses of Convocation of the Province of Canterbury.

FREE TO ACT.

After disestablishment the bishops and clergy and laity will be free to hold synods and to frame regulations for the government of the church, and in the event of a representative body being appointed, the Government will by charter incorporate it so that the church property may be vested in it, so that the clergy may suffer no loss they will continue to receive their present salaries so long as they hold the use of their palaces and residences.

Should any, however, after five years desire to retire, life compensation will be granted them.

WINANS A FAVORITE.

MADRID, Dec. 13.—Walter Winans, the American sportsman, who is a favorite of several European sovereigns, has now been taken up by King Alfonso. His Majesty has sent him a signed portrait of himself, and has also conferred on him the insignia of a Commander of the Order

of the Catholico.

Former Warden Coddling both gave

the prisoner an excellent recommendation, as did practically all other officers of the institution who were acquainted with him.

Gov. Hedges, after convincing him

that Rainey would be well cared

for during his chance to "make good,"

granted the parole personally and for

warded the papers to Warden Rainey.

Rainey was liberated within an

hour after the papers were delivered

at the prison.

CLOSED SEASON FOR DUCKS, SUNSET TO SUNRISE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The federal government began today the enforcement of another clause of the new migratory game bird law, which went into effect October 1. The clause abolished a daily closed season from sunset to sunrise for migratory insectivorous birds. An information was filed against William Appleby of Napa for having shot ducks after sunset. The extreme penalty under the new law is a fine of \$100, ninety days in jail or both.

PETERSEN GIVES SHOPPING 'DON'T'S'

Christmas Buyers to Be Guarded by Special Squad of Police.

Chief of Police Petersen has instructed Captain of Inspectors Lou F. Agnew to have several of his plain clothes men accompany Christmas shoppers. Petersen made public the following list of "Don'ts," compiled for Christmas shoppers.

When you are leaving your residence:

Don't leave your windows or doors unlocked.

Don't fail to lock the dumbwaiter door.

Don't fail to securely hold your handbag or purse.

Don't rush into a crowd; crowds are fields of harvest for pickpockets.

Don't lay your handbag down and permit your attention to be diverted.

Don't receive and pay for packages by way of the dumbwaiter.

Don't receive and pay for "C.O.D." packages until you have examined their contents.

Don't leave your handbag on a counter while examining goods.

Don't carry a large amount of money or valuable property in your handbag.

Don't display money.

Don't leave your handbag in a baby carriage under the pillow.

Don't leave the room of your apartment in which a messenger delivers a package and permit the messenger to await your return.

Beware of persons who call after the delivery of a package representing that the package has been delivered by mistake.

Don't permit the delivery of packages to be made for you in the care of others.

Don't enter into coin matching games on the street.

Don't be hoodwinked by any person who claims you have dropped your handbag and shows you a pocketbook containing money. This is a swindling game.

Don't permit your messengers delivering packages to be intercepted on the street by persons representing themselves as consignees. Be positive in your instructions that packages be delivered to the persons to whom they are consigned.

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Don't carry your cashier to make change unless the money to be changed is received.

Don't permit your delivery wagon to remain unguarded on the street.

Don't purchase jewelry on the street.

Don't carry your purse in your hip pocket.

Don't leave your rings in the wash room.

Don't fail to count your change.

Don't leave your automobile unguarded.

BREAKS 20-YEAR SILENCE; PAROLED

Life Termer, With Good Record, Makes Effective Appeal.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Dec. 13.—Jasper W. Rainey, the state prison life termer who some time ago broke a twenty-years' silence when on his bended knees he begged Samuel Seaton, Governor Topeka's private secretary and his pardon clerk, for a parole, had left the prison a free man as long as he remains within the boundaries of Kansas and observes the several other parole regulations.

Rainey has served a few months more than twenty years on a charge of murder. He was convicted in Paloma, Kan., on a charge of killing a woman with whom he had quarreled.

When brought to the prison Rainey told the guard who was "dressing him in" that he had been wronged; that he did not realize what he was doing when he fired the shot which killed the woman; that he should not have been convicted under the circumstances, and that that would be the only time his voice would be heard so long as he remained behind the bars.

From that day until Rainey begged his freedom from the pardon clerk there is no one in the prison who recalls having heard his voice, although during the last five years he has been a "runner" in the deputy warden's office.

Seaton came to the prison with members of the board of correction on one of his periodical visits. As he was walking toward the front entrance preparatory to his departure Rainey met him in the prison corridor. The convict dropped to his knees before the official, and, with upraised arms, exclaimed:

"Oh, Mr. Seaton, please do what you can to get me out of here. I've been here for twenty years now, and these are the first words I have spoken in that time. My record's clean as a whistle. Will you do what you can?"

The pardon clerk assured Rainey he would see what he could do, and shortly after his return to Topeka the man was brought to the attention of

the Board of Pardons and Paroles.

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Imported Fans at Half-Price

PARISIAN AND VIENNESE CREATIONS MAKE BEAUTIFUL GIFTS

OUR entire stock of Imported Fans is included in this offer. Our reason for the sacrifice is that we do not desire to tie up so much money in high-priced goods of this character. We have graded them into five classes and offer them at prices in all cases amounting to half, and in many cases amounting to less than half of their regular values.

ASSORTMENT NO. 1—SPECIAL AT \$2.95—A tasteful collection of Spangled Fans with sticks of real sandal wood and novelty woods of great rarity. These fans sold formerly at \$7.50 each.

ASSORTMENT NO. 2—SPECIAL AT \$4.65—Being a display of Fans in many shapes and materials, sold formerly at prices to \$10 each.

ASSORTMENT NO. 3—SPECIAL AT \$6.75—A rare as

gregation of Parisian and Viennese Novelty Fans priced formerly to \$15 each.

ASSORTMENT NO. 4—SPECIAL AT \$9.75—Exquisite and artistic Fans in many colors and effects, priced formerly at figures to \$20.

ASSORTMENT NO. 5—SPECIAL AT \$14.75—Representative pieces portraying the high type of fan manufacture. Many creations of lace and tinsel may be found among these. Sold formerly at prices to \$40.

Nine Days of Toy Selling

AT the end of nine days our enormous stock of THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS' worth of TOYS must be entirely CLOSED OUT. We need the space for other purposes.

WITH this end in view we have marked these toys at prices that should move every last one of them. COST and below COST describes the proportion of reduction most exactly. Is there any reason for hesitation in a matter of "where to buy toys" when you are assured that your money will buy TWICE as many toys at Taft & Pennoyer's during this great sale?

Suit Department—Yule Tide Offerings

Our object in this sale is to convince our patrons and especially those who are not as yet patrons of ours of the really wonderful values this department offers from time to time to the general public.

The present sale includes some ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY tailored and trimmed suits to be had in black and all seasonal shades. These are taken from our regular stock and are all of this season's latest, bright styles, fresh and beautifully made.

They are shown in sizes 15 to 17, 16 to 18 and 34 to 44. We have divided them into three groups as set forth below:

GROUP NUMBER 1—Selling formerly to \$30.00—\$14.85

SPECIAL AT

GROUP NUMBER 2—Selling formerly to \$40.00—\$21.75

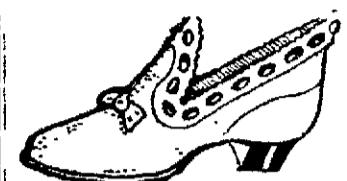
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H. C. CAPWELL CO.

Slippers Are Popular Gifts

Choose your gift Slippers for all members of the family from our holiday assortment and the greatest lasting quality will be added to their good appearance.

Women's Slippers



WOMEN'S FELT ROMEO SLIPPERS—Something new this season. Comes in black, white, gray, and brown. Trimmed with ribbon—\$1.50.

WOMEN'S FELT "COUNTRY" SLIPPERS—Just what their name implies. Pretty trimmed with ribbon. In eight beautiful colors—lavender, old rose, pink, light blue, taupe, dark blue, white and taupe—\$1.75.

WOMEN'S FELT TRIMMED ROMEO SLIPPERS—Of best grade. In black, gray and brown—\$1.65. Others specially priced at \$1.25.

Men's Slippers



Twenty-five styles men's slippers. Every nice looking and comfortable kind known. In leather and felt. See them in the window.

Ten Cavaliers—\$1.00.

Ten Fausts—\$2.50.

Genuine Alligator Slippers—\$2.00.

Tan Romneys—\$1.75 to \$2.50.

Black Romneys—\$1.75 to \$2.50.

Black Felt Romneys—\$1.65.

Tan Everetts—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Black Everetts—\$1.50 and \$2.00.

Black Opera Slippers—\$1.50 to \$2.50.

Children's Slippers

Include attractive novelty styles in a great number of shades and colors.

Children's red felt Romeo Slippers trimmed with black fur. Sizes 4 to 8—90c; sizes 8½ to 11—\$1.00; sizes 11½ to 2—\$1.10.

Children's Dutch Kid, Felt Slippers in dark blue. Sizes 4 to 10—\$1.10; sizes 11 to 2—\$1.25.

Children's Felt Slippers—\$1.00 to 10—\$1.10.

"JIM" HILL "FIRED" MAN
BY MOVING HIS
DESK INTO HALL

THE KNAVE

DUKE OF ORLEANS
EARLY LOVER OF
MADAME MELBA

the New York, New Haven and Hartford road in succession to C. S. Mellin.

Help Beds Rich in Potash

As the imports of potash from Germany amount to about twenty million dollars annually, it is interesting to read what the Washington authorities think of the kelp beds along the California coast as a future source of supply. The other day one of these authorities informed Congressman Kahn that the beds along the coast can be used to produce

more than a million tons annually of potassium chloride, which would about equal all the potash salts imported each year from Germany and used as a fertilizer in this country. The government authorities have been studying these beds for several years.

They have also been studying the desert valleys of Inyo and San Bernardino counties for a possible potash supply. Hoyt S. Gale has had much to do with the latter work. Practically all the alkaline lands, where the presence of potash is strongly indicated, are already in private ownership, so that the exploration work in California cannot be made on government land. But the government considers the establishment of the potash industry in the country a matter of sufficient importance to undertake the work of proving the presence of potash. The Death Valley lands are all taken up, part being in the ownership of the Standard Oil, part owned by "Borax" Smith and part held by a dozen or more owners. The potash in the German fields was found at a depth of 1600 feet. The surface brine in parts of Death Valley has been found to carry a commercial percentage of potash.

Admiral Known as His Son's Father

The army and navy set are preparing to welcome Lieutenant Hugo U. Osterhaus and his bride. The lieutenant was married last week in Washington to Miss Helen Downey, a pretty belle of the capital.

Popular and efficient is the lieutenant and bearing a name that is an honored one in Uncle Sam's service.

Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, retired, and several years ago in command at Mare Island, is his father. Both the latter and his father saw service in the civil war. Admiral Osterhaus last summer visited his father, Peter J., who now lives in Germany. He is 91 years of age and has the title of brigadier-general. It is a notable instance of where three generations have been in the service of Uncle Sam. It is a very rare case where all three

upon the figures." This incident was said to account for the resignation of Vice-President W. A. Miller and Cashier F. A. Nienhauser.

The gentlemen who smiled most certainly believe in clean and neat typewritten documents and papers of any kind. They formerly worked for Jim Hill in his office. They realize how he and his son, always very strict in little as well as big things, must have been wrothy over the blot of ink. They believe the telegraphic story implicitly. They have reason to

rumpus in the Hill offices.

Off go their hats in speaking of the ability of Jim Hill. They know more of him than of his son, but can readily imagine the latter as a chip of the old block. But aside from his great ability and success, they keenly know the strictness of the man, his peculiarities and the rougher side of his personality. With him dismissals often came with the suddenness of lightning.

Our smiling gentlemen tell a story of a stenographer who had been promoted to the head of a department when he was "fired" within a week for unfitness for the position.

"Why didn't you retain him in his former position, where he was doing well?" Mr. Hill was asked.

"I will have no failures in my business," he replied.

Another story is told of a high official whom Hill had taken away from another road at big salary, but who offended him by expecting too long a vacation. He was allowed the vacation without objection, but when he returned from Europe he found another man in his job. Another official is said to have received his first intimation that he was not making good by finding his desk out in the hall on his arrival at the office one morning.

When Melba and the Duke of Orleans Loved

Melba has been greeted by big crowds here, an en-

thusiast jam like in the older days with Patti and Jenny Lind. The prima donna was once represented as saying that it requires art for a woman to dress well, and from what the women say she certainly shows the true note of art in her style of dressing. Schumann-Hedin, who was recently here, talked proudly of a new tenor she had discovered in a Patterson, N. J. policeman, saying she expected him to be in concert with her next year. Melba, too, once found a good tenor in Australia. This was about two

years ago. She says she is going to sing great things. He was picked up in an early evening crowd that was waiting at the concert hall door to be among the first to get a good seat at a cheap price. I am told she does not object to the circulation of the story that the Duke of Orleans, the French pretender, when he was 20 was desperately in love with her. The last time I saw the story repeated was several months ago in a Paris cablegram. As I recall it, the story set in part that the Duke has only one horror, that of being bored. Above all, he is an admirer of the fair sex. He is a devout lover for whom nothing exists but the object loved, so long as he loves it. When he was 20 he was distractedly in love with Melba, and, as she was equally attracted, his family became anxious. His father, the Count of Paris, resolved that the duke must marry. He was therefore engaged to his cousin, the Princess Marguerite, daughter of the Duke of Chartres. But the singer kept his heart and the queen of opera and the exiled prince were seldom apart. During his St. Petersburg visit the scandal-mongers made the most of the friendship of the prince and the singer, especially after they had been seen together openly at the theaters. The engagement of the prince and Princess Marguerite was broken off. After the singer's sway over the prince had ceased many less illustrious charmers won his favor.

THE KNAVE.

ACTRESS GIVEN FATHER'S WEALTH

COUNTER CHARGES OF CRUELTY FILED

MARKET SUMMARY SHOWS HEAVINESS IN REVELATIONS

Lilah McCarthy Receives Sum
of \$250,000 and Sets the
White Way Agog.

Husband and Wife Vie With
Each Other in Com-
plaints.

Weekly Review Is Unfavorable
for Several Prominent
Stocks.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Broadway theatrical folks have heard that Lilah McCarthy had inherited a fortune of \$250,000 through the death of her father, and even in these days of salaried magnificence, \$250,000 constitutes enough of a sum to make the theatrical folks talk.

In private life Lilah McCarthy is Mrs. H. Granville Barker. She is the dramatist and actor in 1906. Her father was Jonah P. McCarthy, E. R. A., and a man of high attainments. According to Bernard Shaw, Lilah McCarthy completely fills the Shawian ideal. *Waiting for the Wind* is the latest play in which she appears. There is hardly any line of stage craft that has not appealed to her.

It is perhaps her best training that makes her sure of her stellar orbit. From the outset of her career she worked at the theatrical fundamental as few men, or women either, have toiled.

HAD EMINENT TEACHERS.

She studied elocution with Bertram Verlin, fencing with M. Bertrand, dancing and singing with Ernest Cameron and voice production with Emilie Belice. As an apprentice comes from the bench to the mastery of the trade, so she came from the primary class to become mistress of an art.

Amateur productions of Shakespeare best characters first lured her. She played many parts with the Shakespeare Reading Society before the professional stage claimed her for one of its brilliant own.

NOTEWORTHY CAREER.

Miss McCarthy's career on the professional stage has been particularly noteworthy. She was leading woman with H. R. Irving in the Ben Greet company of 1885, playing Juliet, Beatrice, Pauline, Emma, Peg Woffington and other roles. As leading woman with Wilson Barrett, she made a couple of world tours and the London stage world has known her as the chief attraction in many of the plays of the moment since that time.

Of recent years she has been particularly mentioned for the portrayal of the part of Lady Sibyl Lasczky in "What Every Woman Knows."

ROTARY CLUB "SELLING CONTEST" WON BY GEAR

A "selling contest" was a feature of the last meeting of the Rotary Club. Twelve members were given two minutes each in which to dispose of their wares which were varied. Lewis S. Gear, manager of the new Dahl building, was awarded the prize for renting a suite of offices to W. D. Dean within the two-minute time allowed.

LEGG MEAT IF KIDNEYS HURT OR LULL MEAT IF KIDNEYS HURT OR

YOU'RE BACKACHY AND RHEUMATIC

Meat Forms Uric Acid Which
Clogs Kidneys; Causes
Rheumatism and Ir-

ritability.

If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally, says a noted authority who tells us that meat forms uric acid which almost paralyzes the kidneys in their efforts to expel it from the blood. They become sluggish and weaken, then you suffer with a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick rheumatism, your stomach is coated and when the meat is coated with the fat you have rheumatism.

the body's urinous waste get four ounces of Jod Salts from any pharmacy here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jod Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure, and makes a delightful effervescent drink.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—By getting into court first with her charges of cruelty, Mrs. Jenkins Robinson today has a decree of divorce from Dr. Paul S. Robinson. Husband and wife lied in their stories as to who was the most persistently and aggressively cruel.

Dr. Robinson who filed the first suit, charged Mrs. Robinson with kicking him, cracking tinware on his head, yanking the pipe out of his mouth and loosening his teeth.

She appeared in the supreme court to press her counter-charges. Dr. Robinson with intolerable cruelty. It was announced he had agreed privately to pay \$25 weekly alimony.

His Robinson's testimony was brief. She said that when they were traveling on a Pullman car, he had slapped her face with a towel. He swore at her frequently, knocked her down with a blow in the face and kicked her. Yes, she had pulled the pipe out of his mouth, but it was because he was blowing smoke in her face.

Mrs. Carrie Evans, a neighbor, testified that Mrs. Robinson had frequently shown bruises on her arms, which she said had been inflicted by the doctor.

Robinson's father, William C. Robinson, was a leading professor in the Catholic University at Washington, and the author of Robinson's "Elementary Law." When Dr. Robinson sued several months ago his charges shocked New Haven society, in which he and his wife are well known. He said that in September, 1910, his wife met him one night on the street, smacked his face and called him his name. At another time she smashed his silk hat on his head with a blow from a handbag.

Once she locked every door in the house against him, he alleged. He climbed through a basement window, whereupon she attacked him with a hatchet. He even asserted she had tried to poison and shoot him. But he was not in court to testify.

FLIRTING BREAKS UP DEAF MUTES' BANQUET

PARIS, Dec. 13.—The Amicable Association of Deaf-Mutes held its annual banquet at Cambray recently. Towards the end of the banquet the husband of one deaf and dumb woman took umbrage at a gesticulatory flirtation which the alleged was being carried on with his wife by a guest opposite.

The two men, unable to exchange reproaches in words, came to blows. The quarrel quickly became general. Finally the police were called in and cleared the hall.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 13.—Viola Failes, 15, a ward of the New Jersey Children's Society, whose testimony sent the Rev. George D. Higgins, a general Methodist Clergyman of Jacobson, N. J., to the State Prison for a 30-year term, now says the crime against her was committed by a schoolboy and that the minister is innocent.

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It was the second time Mrs. Higgins had visited the clergyman since he went to prison, four months ago. The trial, which began in October 1911, resulted in a verdict of guilty. All of the 12 petit jurors whose votes sent him to prison said that they now believe him innocent. Their signatures were obtained to a separate petition for release, which will go to the parole board with the court papers.

COMMISSION DENOUNCES
TEA DRINKING HABIT

DUBLIN, Dec. 13.—Tea brewed in Ireland is denounced as worse than alcohol. In a current report of the Irish Milk Commission upon the scarcity of milk in Irish towns.

"The common use of tea and bread in place of milk and oatmeal tends to degeneracy," said the commission.

THE BODY'S URINOUS WASTE GET FOUR OUNCES OF JOD SALTS FROM ANY PHARMACY HERE, TAKE A TABLESPOONFUL IN A GLASS OF WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST FOR A FEW DAYS AND YOUR KIDNEYS WILL THEN ACT FINE. THIS FAMOUS SALTS IS MADE FROM THE ACID OF GRAPES AND LEMON JUICE, COMBINED WITH LITHIA, AND HAS BEEN USED FOR GENERATIONS TO FLUSH AND STIMULATE SLUGGISH KIDNEYS, ALSO TO NEUTRALIZE THE ACIDS IN URINE, SO IT NO LONGER IRRITATES, THUS ENDING BLADDER WEAKNESS.

JOD SALTS IS INEXPENSIVE, CANNOT INJURE, AND MAKES A DELIGHTFUL EFFERVESCENT DRINK.

"CHILDREN OF THREE MONTHS OLD HAVE BEEN BROUGHT UP ON TEA. THEY GET ACCUSTOMED TO THE TASTE OF IT, AS MAN GETS ACCUSTOMED TO THE TASTE OF ALCOHOL, AND THE CHILD BECOMES INVINCIBLE."

ON THE EATEN SALTS OF THE KIDNEYS IS ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE TO SPEAK TOO STRONGLY.

TEA EVEN WHEN PROPERLY MADE, IS NOT NUTRITIVE, AND, UNFORTUNATELY, IT IS OFTEN VERY BADLY MADE.

THE TEA LEAVES ARE ALLOWED TO STEW ON THE HOB, AND LATER, WHEN MORE TEA IS WANTED, A FRESH CHARGE OF WATER IS ADDED. IN SUCH CASES THE TEA IS NOT AN INFUSION, BUT A DECOCITION AND A DANGEROUS FLUID.

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HAVE YOU ever thought how nice it would be to have a little ranch just outside of town, where you could raise everything you need for your table and to spare and still be close to some good town where you could work at your trade?

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**STRANGE MEETING
AFTER MANY YEARS**

Frederick Greenslade, Believed by Sister to Have Been Killed, Much Alive.

JAMESBURG, N. J., Dec. 13.—"Excuse me, sir," said a tall man as he rushed along the station platform here in an effort to catch a train and brushed past a woman who was standing near by.

The little vitality was made in a broad English accent and caused the woman to look in suddenly. She caught a fleeting glimpse of the man's face and realized him.

When the woman caught up with him a moment later they were in each other's arms, weeping for joy after a separation of more than twenty years, during much of which the woman believed the man dead, a victim of a Boer war bullet.

SISTER AND BROTHER.

They were sister and brother. The man is Frederick Greenslade, superintendent of Jamesburg, N. J., W. T. Waggoner.

More than twenty-five years ago Greenslade took to wandering. From the time he left his home in London he never communicated with his family. During the Boer war his relatives learned that he enlisted in the English army and went to the Transvaal.

Later a report reached them that he had been killed in battle. One sister alone remained steadfast in the belief that he would some day be found alive and well.

During the years that followed she set up a search for the missing brother without success. At last, however, she came to America, enlisting her in New York. She began traveling in the hope that somewhere she might find some trace of him. All over the United States she wandered, finally landing in West Virginia.

While there she picked up a newspaper containing an article in which the name of Frederick Greenslade was mentioned. She at once became interested in his concern. She immediately came here and had just settled on an evening train when the "Eureka" incident occurred.

WILL REMAIN AT HOME.

Greenslade and his sister went immediately to his home, where the woman will remain for the winter, after which Greenslade, his wife and sister will return to England, where a family reunion will be held. At the Greenslade home the story of the brother's wanderings became known.

The long lost brother, after leaving his London home, started to see the world. He traveled from place to place until the opening of the war, when he entered Queen Victoria's service.

He was sent to the front, and when the strife ended he was mustered out. He then came to America, wandering around, until three years ago when he came to Jamesburg.

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**Carries \$40,000 Parcel
Leaves Oakland Invention**

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BALASSA
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package.

**SMOKE OPIUM
IN SECRET;
RAIDED**

Actresses and Others Caught in the Net of Federal Officers.

Suppers Said to Have Been the Worst Ever Held in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Following a spectacular raid upon his offices at No.

man Seider is under arrest now on a charge of being the host at "opium suppers," at which the federal authorities claim scores of beautifully gowned women and girls indulged in the pipe as the principal morsel. The raiders found forty pipes one hundred pounds of opium and a complete manufacturing kit in the rooms.

It is also alleged that Dr. Seider operated a "sanatorium" in which he treated women suffering from cancer and other diseases "teaching them to become slaves to opium."

He had a ten-room flat next to his office for which he paid a monthly rent of \$122 and which, the federal agents declare, was filled with women all the time. A waiting list is said to have been discovered.

Other evidence discovered in the flat led the authorities to immediately start investigating the charge that Dr. Seider was connected with a ring of white slaves of which his sanitarium cure was merely an adjunct.

The "opium suppers" given by Dr. Seider were hilarious affairs, in which the women, and some few men, inhaled the fumes of the poppy. When their senses were completely deadened, declare the federal authorities, the "dimers" would drop off to their dreams, one by one. These "suppers" they said, always brought more patients to the sanitarium.

IDENTITY OF WOMEN.

The majority of the women are said by the agents to be well known to society, with a slight sprinkling of actresses and other professional women.

The "suppers" were elaborate affairs, the "dimers" being dressed usually in "saints" or "saints" when the raid was made. Their names were taken, and after their identities had been verified they were allowed their freedom. They will all be called into court later as witnesses.

Immediately after the raid Dr. Seider was taken to the Federal building and arraigned before United States Commissioner Shields. He made a wild plea to be re-jailed to prison, and cried in a voice that was heard all through the building that he would refuse bail, that he only wanted to escape the effects of the drug. He begged the officials to send him to the Atlanta prison at once.

Miss Jenny Seider, a pretty girl lawyer, and sister of the prisoner, went with him before the commissioner, and created a scene by insisting that the doctor plead not guilty.

THE DRUG CURSE.

"I am better away from the curse of the drug," screamed the doctor. "Let them send me away."

Dr. Seider had a high regard in the community in which his "sanatorium" is located, and was possessed of a large practice among a number of wealthy New Yorkers. The federal authorities claim he has made \$200,000 in the last year through his "opium ring."

MILLIONAIRE FOR DAY TO GIVE CONGRESS STATUE

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Dec. 13.—John J. McDevitt's ship has come in, and the "Millionaire-for-a-day" who spent \$2500 for the "honor" and went broke, is again in possession of considerable money. Just where he got it is a mystery, but John J. has \$2500 in his pockets and he declares this is more money than he can conveniently spend in Wilkes-Barre.

The money is being held in McDevitt's pockets and the "Millionaire-for-a-day" who also answers to the name of "Butch," has decided to charter a special train of six cars and make a trip to Washington, D. C., taking along a statue of himself, which he will offer Congress and ask to have placed in Statuary Hall in the Capitol. The statue was carved in New York, and the sculptor has been paid in full.

McDevitt plans to leave in January. The train will be made up of a parlor car, a sleeper and a diner, exclusively for McDevitt; a special car for the statue and men hired to guard it; a parlor car for newspaper men and a special diner for them. "Butch" will hire a retinue of servants, and it is his plan to go from here to New York, thence by way of Philadelphia to Washington.

Before leaving "Butch" will write Speaker Clark that he is on his way to offer Congress the McDevitt statue, and whether the speaker agrees or not to accept the offer makes no difference to "Butch" for he will make the trip anyway.

**Read Tribune Ads—
Use Your 'Phone****EXODUS OF 200,000 NORWEGIANS TO BEGIN**

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Preparations are under way by Norwegian-Americans all over the country for great exodus from the United States. Leaders estimate that by next May more than 200,000 Norwegians will have left to visit Norway. The one hundredth anniversary of Norway's independence on May 17, is to be celebrated with elaborate festivities continuing several months. On May 17, 1814, Norway adopted its present constitution following a 100 years' union with Denmark.

KESSLER SUITS SET FOR TRIAL FEBRUARY 16

Costs amounting to \$100,000 damages brought by Attorney A. Kessler against the Southern Pacific company as the result of injuries sustained by Kessler, his wife and daughter when an electric train struck a taxicab in which they were riding at Eleventh and Webster streets on April 4, 1912, has been set for trial on February 16. On motion of Attorney W. F. St. Sure, representing the plaintiffs, Superior Judge Brown placed the cases on the calendar for that date.

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Hale's Open Monday Night and Every Business Night Until Christmas

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Furthermore, they are good at any of Hale's California stores—San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland, Sacramento, San Jose and Stockton.

"The Christmas Shop for Baby" Is In Hale's Basement, and It's An Inspiration

Another department where sentiment has played an immense part in the selection of suitable gifts for the little fairies in your home or the homes of friends and relatives. We firmly believe you have never before seen such captivating things for baby as are laid before you in this beautiful department, in the Basement.

Make Your Headquarters at

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RAILROAD OFFICIALS SAY BEWARE OF HOBBLES

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Hobble skirts and high heels continue to be responsible for an increasingly large number of injuries sustained by women while getting on and off trains and mounting and descending stairways in stations on the Pennsylvania railroad.

A careful record kept for three months ended October 14 of all injuries sustained by women due to slipping, stumbling or falling while on the railroad property indicates that these accidents are becoming more frequent.

JOHN W. SULLY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF HATTERS

DANBURY, Conn., Dec. 13.—John W. Sully of South Norwalk, was elected president of the United Hatters of North America in a referendum election held yesterday in the various hat manufacturing centers throughout the country. He will succeed Simeon Balke of Danbury. Martin Lawler of New York was the only runner for secretary and treasurer of the organization.

STOCK REDUCING!**Come Now—Don't Delay**

Your last chance before stock taking. Down! down! down! go prices. Some are nearly half—and the styles—the real choicest—dandy garments. It's up to you to take advantage of them.

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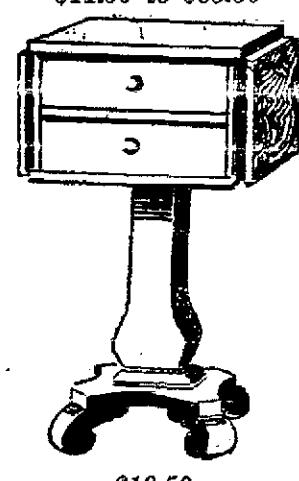
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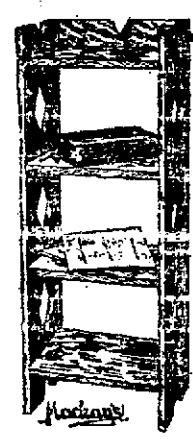
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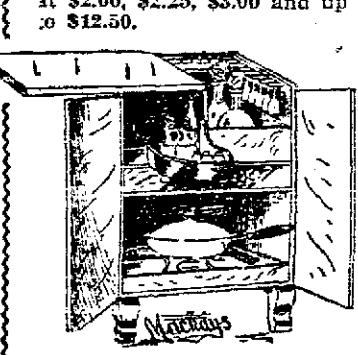
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Over 50 styles to choose from. For the living room and bedroom in Golden Oak, Birdseye Maple, Enamel, Mahogany, Fumed Oak and Cinnamom Walnut.
\$11.50 to \$83.50



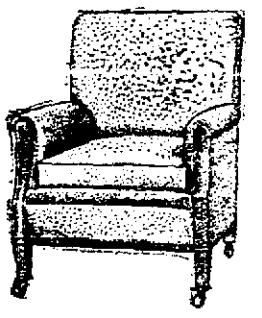
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Fumed Oak Magazine Stand. Others in solid oak at \$2.00, \$2.25, \$3.00 and up to \$12.50.



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Large comfortable real leather Chairs and Rockers as low as \$30.00 and up to \$90.00.

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Dressing Tables—\$16.00 to \$45.00

Dressing Table Chairs—\$4.25 to \$12.50

Mahogany Foot Stools—\$5.00 to \$8.00

Tea Tables—\$10.00 to \$35.00

Ladies' Chairs and Rockers—\$4.50 to \$60.00

English Tea Wagons—\$22.50 to \$57.50

Muffin Stands—\$5.75 to \$11.50

Bookcases—\$17.00 to \$85.00

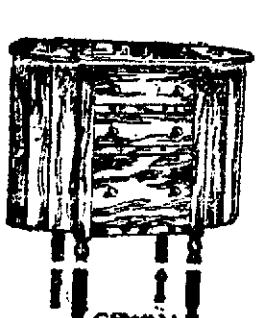
FOR HIM.

Smoking Stand—\$6.50 to \$20.00

Auto Valets and Gentlemen's Chifforons—\$27.50 to \$150.00

Footstools—\$8.50 to \$8.00

Leather Chairs and Rockers—\$30.00 to \$90.00



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\$17.50

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Fair Stars Waging "Battle of Gowns" Designers' Rivalry Interests All Paris



LEFT TO RIGHT—Mlle. Alice Clairville, Mlle. Jean Faber and Mlle. Geraldi Leprince, WHO ARE RIVALS FOR FASHIONABLE HONORS. INSET IS Mlle. Goulet, WHOSE NAME IS MENTIONED IN "WAR OF GOWNS."

SOUTHERN PACIFIC IS SAFEST ROAD

Awarded Harriman Memorial Safety Medal for Minimum of Accidents, Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—In competition with all the steam railways of the United States, the Southern Pacific Company was yesterday awarded the Harriman memorial safety medal, founded by Mrs. Averill Harriman, widow of the late railroad builder for the best record in accident prevention and hygiene affecting the public and its personnel during the current year, 1913. The award was made by the American Museum of Safety, under the auspices of which the competition was conducted.

The record of the Southern Pacific's achievements and efforts involving safety, industrial hygiene and other corrective conditions during the year was submitted by R. J. Clancy, assistant to the general manager.

REMARKABLE SHOWING.

It showed that during the fiscal year 1912 on the Pacific system of the railroad 1,373,615,327 passengers were carried a distance of one mile without the loss of a single passenger from train accidents, continuing that Pacific system's record for safety in continuity from the year 1906, involving the movement of 8,600,000,000 revenue passengers a distance of one mile without one passenger fatality as a result of train accident. The report showed the efforts made by the company in connection with its "Safety First" campaign to reduce the hazard of accidents to the public and its employees.

These included the investigation into the primary causes of grade crossing accidents; the company's record as a pioneer in the use of steel passenger cars; and construction of steel passenger cars; the installation of safety devices in the shops, such as shields for emery wheels and belting; the adoption of pulmometers for use in first aid to the injured.

OTHER BETTERMENTS.

The company's hospital service features are added also; the extreme sanitary measures taken in the care of its passenger cars, the icing of water tanks, etc., the requirement of extreme sanitary measures on the part of its employees; the institution of surprise tests to promote and check efficiency and discipline; the encouragement of safety committees among employees and innumerable other pertinent items to secure the safety of life and limb.

The award of the medal names the Southern Pacific the safest railroad on which to travel in the United States and it rewards in two ways to the memory of Harriman, viz.: The medal as a memorial to itself, and the award to the railroad of which Harriman was for so long the head.

HARBOR EXPERTS MAY STUDY LOCAL SITUATION

Mayor Mott has under consideration the suggestion of Commissioner Harry S. Anderson, now in attendance at the national conference of Port Authorities in session at New Orleans that two of the best informed harbor management experts in America shall be commissioned to come to make recommendations as to the handling of the harbor lands, docks, wharves and belt line railroad matters. Mayor Mott will consult with various civic and commercial organizations, notable with the harbor committee of the Oakland Commercial Club.

The two experts named by Anderson are William Barnes of New York City and Robert Lecky of Baltimore.

points concerning harbor management, both from the engineering and mechanical phases and from the commercial, shipping and managerial points of view.

Shop early in week

JAILED FOR ABANDONMENT.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—Superior Judge Lawlor sentenced Charles Foster to one year in the county jail this morning for the abandonment of his wife, Ruth Foster, and their two children.

Eilers MUSIC HOUSE 'Think of It'

**\$700 New Players
Now \$457.50
Now \$75.00**

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High-Grade Pianos
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Eilers MUSIC HOUSE
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Gains 30 Lbs.
In 30 Days

Every Thin Man or Woman Can
Prove It for Themselves by
Sending for a Free 50c
Package.



"I Wouldn't Look Like That Again
for All the World."

These people suffer a good deal of em-
barrassment and ridicule.

The plump, well-formed man or woman
is the one who is most likely to be called
strong, well-formed, normal, etc., com-
ing in your cheeks, a happy twinkle in your
eye and a fine poise to your whole body.

It keeps you that way. It is the most
builder so far known, up to date.

The regular \$1.00 size of Protone is
for sale by all druggists, or will be mailed
direct upon receipt of price.

A guarantee goes in every package.
Your money back if not satisfied. The
Protone Company will refund the money
on return of the unused bottle.

The Protone Company, 5275 Protone
Bldg., Detroit, Michigan, will send to
any one a free 50c package of Protone.

Use it to help your posture. They will
also send with it full instructions and
their book on "Why You Are Thin."

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Free Studio Free Music Rolls

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SHOT DEAD AS HE ENTERED TRAIN

Frenchman Killed by Father-in-Law, Aged 74 Years.

Family Dispute Over Property Causes Sensational Murder.

PARIS, Dec. 13.—The case in hand has just been the scene of a sensational crime. A man aged 74 shot his son-in-law dead as he was entering the Montmorency train.

A few minutes before the train was due to start an old man hurriedly descended the steps of a compartment in the rear of the train and ran along the platform towards a traveler who was about to enter a carriage further on. Three shots rang out and the traveler, feet ajar and fell.

The platform was crowded with home-bound travelers, who surrounded the man after he had committed his deed and roughly handled him.

The prisoner is M. Pierre Briez. Some 40 years ago he took a great liking for a young apprentice in his business, which was that of a locksmith. His apprentice's name was Durcerf, and he, himself, became Briez's son-in-law and established a similar business of his own. On the death of Madam Briez the son-in-law claimed, on behalf of his wife, the immediate settlement of her part of the family estate. M. Briez refused and said:

"T' money will be yours after my death, but not before."

Madam Durcerf herself took her father's side. Tensions between her and her husband followed, in which the father-in-law joined. He was not of a violent character, but he seemed to become obsessed by the idea that his daughter was being ill-treated by her husband. To the police commissary he said, "I wished to avenge her and then commit suicide. I had placed my revolver to my forehead when some one struck it down."

M. Briez protests against the suggestion of premeditation. He had come to Paris to "business" and at the moment of the murder was returning to Montmorency, where guests awaited him for dinner.

ILLINOIS PROHIBITS IMPORTATION OF CATTLE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 13.—Governor Durbin issued a proclamation yesterday prohibiting the shipping of dairy cattle into the "new" American states, those which are Iowa, Nebraska, Texas and Montana. The order will not affect the shipments of beef cattle. This action was taken to prevent the spread of bovine tuberculosis in Illinois.

TOBACCO HABIT You can conquer it in 2 days, and never re-become a slave to it again. Regular, many cigarettes, and never smoke again. We have many brands of cigarettes, and many brands of tobacco. Write for our catalog. Address: "The Book Room," 10-12th Street, New York, N.Y. E. J. WOODS, 534 Sixth Ave., 633 S. New York, N.Y.

HERE IS A GOOD, CLEAN BUSINESS INVESTMENT

We have purchased Sunny Cove Baths, Alameda, to rebuild it. This next season you will find a modern bathing place, boating, clean amusements, an inclosed natatorium with warm filtered water, a pavilion for conventions, dances, etc., and the best moving pictures. You will NOT find any liquors nor rowdyism.

This property has an area of 150,000 square feet, fronts on the Southern Pacific at Fifth avenue station. Being on a point of land it is washed clean twice a day by the tides which leave very little or no debris. Already plans are drawn for an excursion steamer to bring excursionists to our pier.

As it now stands, this beach pays more than bank interest on our entire capital stock. Improvements and alterations will increase that many times over.

Mr. Zar Z. Brandop, our general manager, came to the coast at the suggestion of commercial bodies in Oakland and Alameda because this is a wider field. He knows how and has made good. We have taken \$50,000 insurance on his life to protect the money we use.

We invite you, and you, and you to become an owner with us. If we have several hundred owners who are satisfied and getting large dividends on a small investment they will come and bring their friends to our pier.

Our shares are \$1.00 each and are non-assessable under the new law in California, in effect in June this year. Everything about this proposition is right up to the minute.

Come in and learn more about this particular enterprise and the profits in well-managed amusements piers.

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Secretary—John C. Johnson, (formerly of Carson, Hudson & Co.), who drew plans for Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904.

100-foot Oriental Tower, from "Empire of India" at St. Louis, will be reproduced with searchlight at 100—over all bay country.

Our books are now open for special data beginning not later than May 1—for seasons of '14-15—Lodges, Societies, Churches and Conventions may inquire at once.

We Should Wonder Over Decadent Plays Haven't We Tinkle of Musical Comedy?

ANNA SWINBURNE AND GLENN HALL



CLARE DALMER.

(By ROSWELL DAGUE.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Tinkle, tinkle little musical comedy! Why should we wonder what is going to become of the persecuted problem? Playing heroine while we have you to shine so brightly in the theatrical firmament? Even if, as we are told, the tired business man no longer visits the lingerie show but goes to "the show down" instead, why care we so long as we now have melodies to listen to in addition to scenery, costumes and girls to behold?

And that is the distinguishing feature of the new musical comedies—the music. They have no more comedy than they ever had—which is almost none at all—but they have new beauty for the ear.

There is "The Madcap Duchess,"

or "The Madcap Duchess,"

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GOSSIP of STUDENTS
and RESIDENTS in
UNIVERSITY TOWNAND SOCIAL and PERSONAL
HAPPENINGS of DAY
in the ISLAND CITY

ALAMEDA

FACTS
EJUDICESCHILDREN TO ASK
FOR NATATORIUMBay Waters Smile When Maids Appear
Girls of Serena Club Cracks at the OarsPET DOG WOUNDS
GIRL IN ALAMEDAFIRE LADDIES ARE
GIVEN PROMOTIONor Explains at
Message of
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CALIFORNIA. Dec. 13.—An invitation is extended to the children of Alameda to be present at the Chamber of Commerce headquarters on Central avenue.

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the central natatorium committee to obtain
petitions.The parents are asked to see that the
afternoon of the establishment of the
natatorium is probably one of the most
important matters before the Alamedans
public today.

VOLUNTEERS SERVICES.

Miss Nell Schmidt, the famous swimmer
of this city, has given her unquali-
fied endorsement of the natatorium plan.
It is a natural desire of students
to have one, and she is en-
thusiastically in favor of the project.Miss Schmidt has volunteered her services
as instructor of the children at the
natatorium.The Alameda mermaid is planning to
swim around Seal Rocks New Year's day.
Thefeat will be watched with interest by all Alamedans.STATE ONCE TAXED
BILLIARD TABLESUNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA. Dec. 13.—The State of California has
once more for last year by such de-
vices means as a license tax on foreign-
ers and a stamp tax. Then there were
State taxes on billiard tables, theaters
and wire dancers. These are told of in
"Financial History of California,"
published this week by William G. Frank-
house, who was Flood Fellow in Econ-
omics.The volume is the first in a series of
University of California's last year, and
one after great labor has brought together
for convenient use the facts and
figures necessary for the understanding of
the State. It includes and created or dis-
charged the debts and the admittance of
California to the Union, together with
a brief account of revenue matters
when California was a Spanish or Mex-
ican possession.The volume is of more than 400 pages,
and is intended in the finance section
of the State government can readily find
the answer to almost any question that
might be asked as to the past experience
of the State. There are, for instance, labor-
tables showing the cost of ad-
ministering each of the great State offices
from 1850 to 1870, the various
departments of the State's revenue
from \$30,795 in 1851 to \$10,555,917 in
1907, and \$14,478,881 in 1910. Light is
thrown on the history of the General
Property Tax and on the inequities of
the poll tax, various abandoned ex-
periments in the raising of revenue,
described with keen detail, on for-
eign trade, stamp tax and State taxes on
billiard tables, theaters and wire-dances.AN WILL
HERCULANEUMCALIFORNIA. Dec. 13.—Fairhurst Latin at Stanford Uni-
versity of theological Institute, will
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IN BETTER CONDITIONVALLEJO. Dec. 13.—Reports from the
Vallejo general hospital here this afternoon
as to the condition of Supervisor H. J.
Widenmann, who underwent an operation
for appendicitis, are of an encouraging
nature. The intense pain which kept
him awake throughout the night eased to
a certain extent during the afternoon and
there are no signs of any increase in
fever. The patient is by no means past
the danger point and it will be at least
three days before the gangrene can be
localized and peritonitis avoided.NOVICES TO ATTEMPT
TO ROW IN BOAT RACEALAMEDA. Dec. 13.—The Alameda
youths, who will have their
tomorrow morning in the 10th o'clock, when
Edward and A. W. Branton and Henry
Neilson and Jack Stewart will row for
the booby championship. Ward and
Stewart have never rowed in a shell and
is expected that Branton and Neilson
will have difficulty in keeping their
crew out of the water. The winners
will be treated to a French dinner by
the losers.SIX NEW PUPILS IN
WALNUT CREEK SCHOOLWALNUT CREEK. Dec. 13.—In keeping
good step with the forward movement
of the town, Walnut Creek's school is
getting bigger every week, six new pupils
having been added the last month. The
ground apparatus of the most practical
character is about to be installed, \$125
being cleared for this purpose by the
recent school entertainment under
the auspices of the Women's Improvement
Club.PACHECO ROAD BEING
RUSHED TO COMPLETIONPACHECO. Dec. 13.—Supervisor Vincent
Hook is at present concerned with
having the Martinez-Pacheo road re-
paired in places where the smooth sur-
face has been broken up. Several car-
loads of fine rock and gravel are being
hauled along the roadside and will be
ton city has teams engaged in the
hauling.ANTIOCH OFFENDER
IS GIVEN THREE MONTHSANTIOCH. Dec. 13.—Edward Prentiss
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CONTRA COSTA News of TWO Big Counties ALAMEDA

IMPROVERS WILL ORGANIZE TODAY

East Richmond Residents Plan to Secure Many Needed Betterments.

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—Formal organization of the Twenty-third street improvement club will be effected at a meeting of the residents of the East

in a conference after the meeting of the officers at the corner of Twenty-third street and Macdonald avenue. At this time officers will be elected for the new organizations, committees to prepare by-laws and constitution will be appointed and other steps taken to complete the permanent organization of the new club.

Throughout the week a committee composed of R. Hand, M. A. Hayes, R. A. Baird, and J. M. Onishi have been busy arranging the residence of the East Richmond section of the city and have summoned their intention of forming the organization.

The meeting tomorrow afternoon will be a formal and organized process to be a most enterprising character. The object of the club will be to secure needed street improvements for that section of the city, better fire and police protection, additional school facilities and many other improvements that are badly needed.

It is planned to make the organization one of the strongest local bodies in the city and with its organization a program of various improvements to be made the club will be outlined and clearly adver-

ted during the coming year.

MASK PARTY BY MAENNER-CHOR PROVES SUCCESS

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—The dancing hall of the East Shore Park was filled to its capacity this evening by a merry throng of dancers at the annual grand masquerade ball given by the Richmond Maenner-chor, the local German singing group. Costumes representing all sorts of characters, such as gypsies, ladies, jesters, milkmaids, clowns, black face comedians, were in evidence and from the time the doors opened at 9 o'clock movement reigned supreme.

The starting of the prizes for the best masker of the night at 11 o'clock and was followed by a drawing of a 15' x 15' room. The arrangements were conducted in a most perfect manner by the committee in charge.

BARTENDERS ELECT AND INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—Chester Harsch is the new president of Richmond local of the Bartenders' union, being elected this afternoon at a meeting of that organization at the hotel of the new president in office. The new officers are: C. Harsch, president; C. H. Clegg, vice-president; J. C. Treador, recording secretary; L. L. Kneel, trustees; James Gandy, Dan Wissman and Edward Kister, delegates to Contra Costa Labor Council; McLean M. W. Walbarn and M. H. Harsch.

PLAN CHRISTMAS TREE FOR PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—The Golden Circle class of the girls of the First Presbyterian church of this city has taken charge of the arrangements for the annual Christmas tree exercises which will be held on December 24th. The arrangements are being completed under the leadership of Mrs. W. C. Conwell, teacher of the class.

There will be a service of the main features of the exercises, while the distribution of presents to several Santa Clauses is also to be provided.

The program will be completed the middle of next week, while the definite date for the exercises will be decided at that time.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS CHOOSE THEIR OFFICERS

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—The Associated students of the Richmond Union high school has chosen its officers to handle the affairs of the school during the next semester. The new school term, Walter Hoffman, prominent in the affairs of the school body, will be the new president, while the other officers are: Miss Irene Harbo, vice-president; Miss McLean, secretary; Philip A. Gault, treasurer; Clarence Brown, athletic manager; Miss Ruth Adair and Vera Wissel, V. W. Lipp and W. F. Stewart, members of the finance committee.

The report of the officers showed the organization of the students in a position of condition with many successful undertakings accomplished during the past six months.

AWNINGS MUST BE RAISED. TO COMPLY WITH STATUTE

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—Low awnings from business establishments of the city which are found to be less than seven feet above the sidewalks must be raised by their owners at once, according to Superintendent of Streets Frank Welsh, who is now making business trips to complete the organization of the city regarding the height of awnings. The ordinance has been in effect for several years, but in recent months some business houses have failed to observe its provisions or have been ignorant of the fact that such an ordinance is in existence.

According to Welsh its provisions will be strictly enforced and those who are found to have their awnings too low have to comply with the ordinance or be prosecuted for a misdemeanor.

WANT SAFETY SIGNALS

SAN LORENZO, Dec. 13.—The Presidents in this community are pushing the installation of safety signals at the crossing near the depot. Safety signals have just been installed in Decato and San Lorenzo people are desirous of having the same protection measures taken here.

Local Pacific companies were

authorized to install safety signals at the San Lorenzo crossing by the board of supervisors.

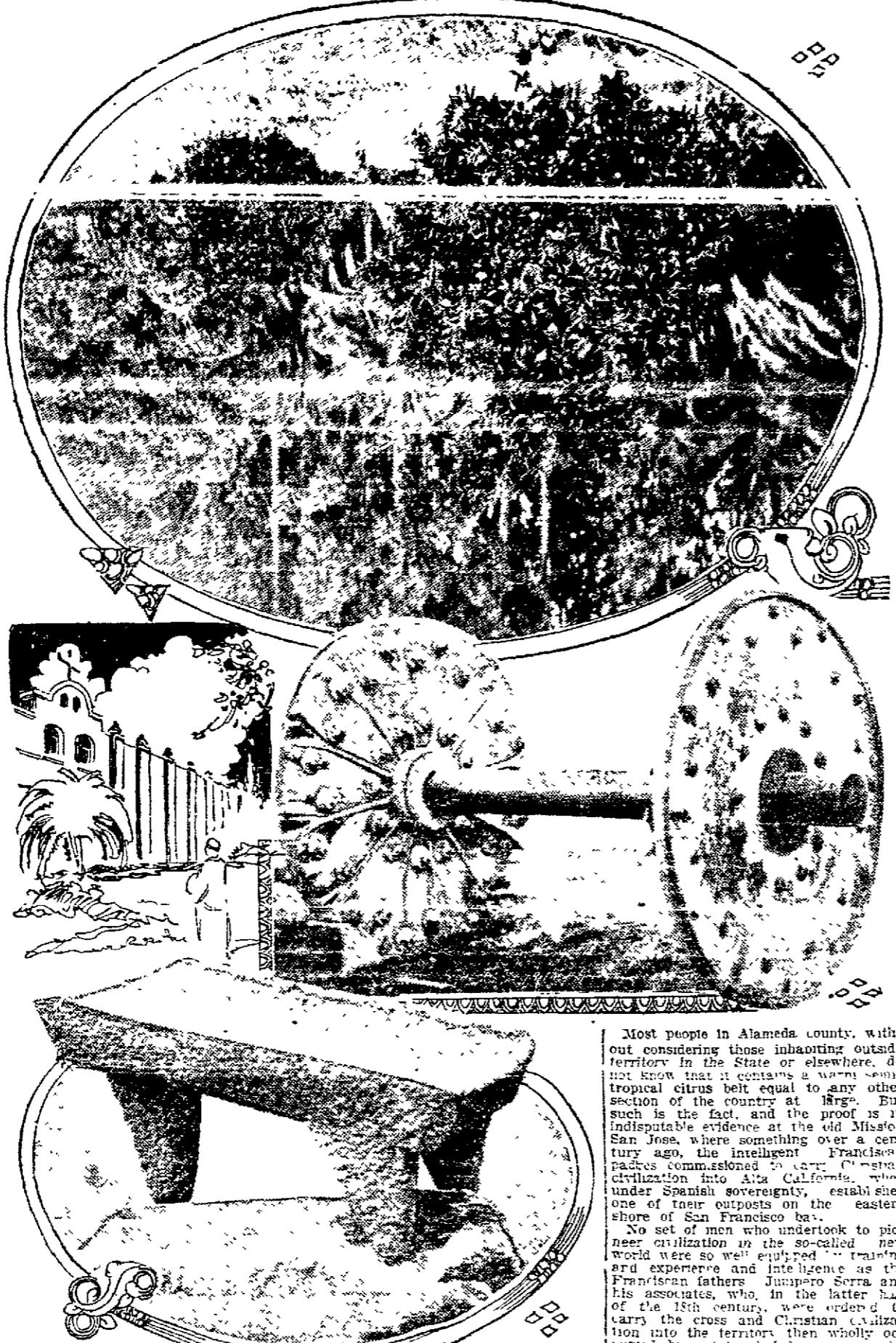
SWEDISH ORDER ENTERTAINS.

RICHMOND, Dec. 13.—The members of the Gusto Vaga Lodge, prominent local Swedish order of the city entertained a large number of visiting players this evening at the Hotel Park Inn. The entertainment was devoted to cards and was followed by a musical and literary program of exceptional merit. Dancing and refreshments concluded the evening's entertainment.

BUYS COUNTRY HOME.

HAYWARD, Dec. 13.—The three place of Frank Blanchard in Castro Valley, his home, the apartment of Alfred Rutherford of San Francisco who resides here, and the home of Mrs. Frank Storer, which has faithfully served the district with local news for the past 14 years, is no more. Frank Storer, who has been editor all these years has decided to give up publication and will go into other fields of activity.

Alameda County's Semi-Tropic District Mission San Jose's Citrus Possibilities



SOME OF THE RELICS WHICH MAKE THE OLD MISSION SAN JOSE FAMOUS. ABOVE, THE HISTORIC OLIVE GROVE, IN WHICH ARE TREES MORE THAN 200 YEARS OLD; BELOW, THE WHEELS OF THE OLD CART OF THE PADRES, AND, AT BOTTOM, THE OLD ROUGH HEWN STONE SEAT IN THE MISSION COURTYARD.

Most people in Alameda county, without considering those inhabiting outside territory in the State or elsewhere, do not know that there is an olive grove in the semi-tropical belt equal to any other section of the country at large. But such is the fact, and the proof is in indisputable evidence at the old Mission San Jose, where something over a century ago the Franciscan padres, under Spanish sovereignty, established one of their outposts on the eastern shore of the San Francisco bay.

No set of men would undertake to pioneer civilization in the so-called new world were so well equipped, training and experience and intelligence as the Franciscan fathers. Juniper, Serra and his associates, who in the latter half of the 17th century, were ordered to carry the cross and Christian civilization into Alta California, when under Spanish sovereignty, established

one of their outposts on the eastern shore of the San Francisco bay.

No set of men would undertake to

explore the new world which is well

known to the world, so far as the month and if the same increase in ex-

penditure is nearly double the size by utilizing

the additional labor force which will be in use on this division.

Building permits go for this month

show the total estimated cost of new

houses to be \$100,000 which is well

over the amount of the original

outlay for the original house.

The monthly expenses of the

new house will be \$15,000 when com-

pleted. Plans are being completed for

the erection of a two story business

at the corner of Ninth street and

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WIFE AND
Y MUSIC'
ENOUGHGirls Are to Play
Is School Band

MISS JULIA E. COLBY.

Clawson school girls' band will play at the children's day at the Ebell Club. The band is under the leadership of Professor John Smith, teacher of music in the Oakland public schools. Miss Julia E. Colby, the principal of the Clawson school girls' band and originator of school girls' bands in the grammar schools, will be hostess on this occasion.

Stephen Shultz will tell four stories to the children, at the same time making various models in clay illustrating the stories.

Other items on the program are "Thor and the Frost," "Giants," a story by Boston Fyle, and the Clawson boys' band of 40 pieces will render two or three selections.

ARTISTICALLY SUITED.

after the wedding, however,

ung to both, they discovered

they were not artistically mated and

Van den Berg went back to Belgium

age.

He divorced the heroine of

ance under the laws of Bel

gium.

He met Dolores Hitchcock, a

blonde American girl, and re

that she was the only woman

he could trust his great

He married her and brought

California.

Edna Richardson, being a

American actress, was not

with a Belgian divorce. She

a good solid American divorce

about a month ago she sued

van den Berg in a New York

INVESTIGATE DIVORCE.

international divorce court con

that only great law experts can

stand it, did not see why Miss

Edna should do this. It im

ately began to investigate Van

den Berg's divorce in Belgium, while

Richardson, who was playing in

York, awaited her decree.

Richardson declared she hated

and if she weren't free she

never be happy. Van den

and his lovely new bride, in

artist's bungalow at Glendale,

many cables. Today comes the

that Miss Richardson has been

a divorce and that Van den

divorce was good all the time

the hero and heroine of the

discussed "Two Weeks," court

are now separated by interna

Belgium and American dif

den Berg said today: "My

is the greatest woman in the

She is my inspiration and my

name and my music. I want

here in Los Angeles and work

my music. That is all in the

my wife and my music."

JOSEI EMPEROR OF

CHINA AIDS REPUBLIC

KING, Nov. 6.—A startling and sig

illustration of the way in which

Manchus are gradually ver

ard a hearty support of the re

in regime to the recently announced

of the deposed boy emperor

his advisers in regard to Mongolia.

Adent Yuan and his cabinet have

moving heaven and earth to prevent

from getting a grip on Outer

dia. While the Bear of the North

had all the advantage thus far, the

nt is still seeking a way out.

er, he is determined that the Rus

advantage shall not penetrate an

terribly to his board. She thinks a man

of such means should be forced to do

own penance heart balm. In unusually

large quantities, when it happens to be

the heart of a Baroness that he has

wounded.

Soon after the announcement of her en

agement, the Baroness came to this

country and said she was going to wed

Hurley. She met her fiance, she said, as

the result of an automobile accident. Her

car crashed into an automobile carrying

a party of Americans, one of whom was

Hurley. Hurley, she said, was flung over

the windshield and landed squarely in her

lap, and, though he had a couple of

smashed ribs, looked up into her face and

smiled. His bravery, the Baroness de

clared, captured her heart and she was

powerless to resist his proposals of mar

riage that followed soon afterward.

BILL TO PREVENT ALL

ILLEGAL OPTIONS FRAMED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Representa

tive Harrison of Mississippi has prepared

a bill which he will introduce next Tues

day, to declare illegal options and futures

on cotton, hops, wheat, corn, oats, rye,

barley, wheat-flour, pork, lard, bacon or

other agricultural or food products. The

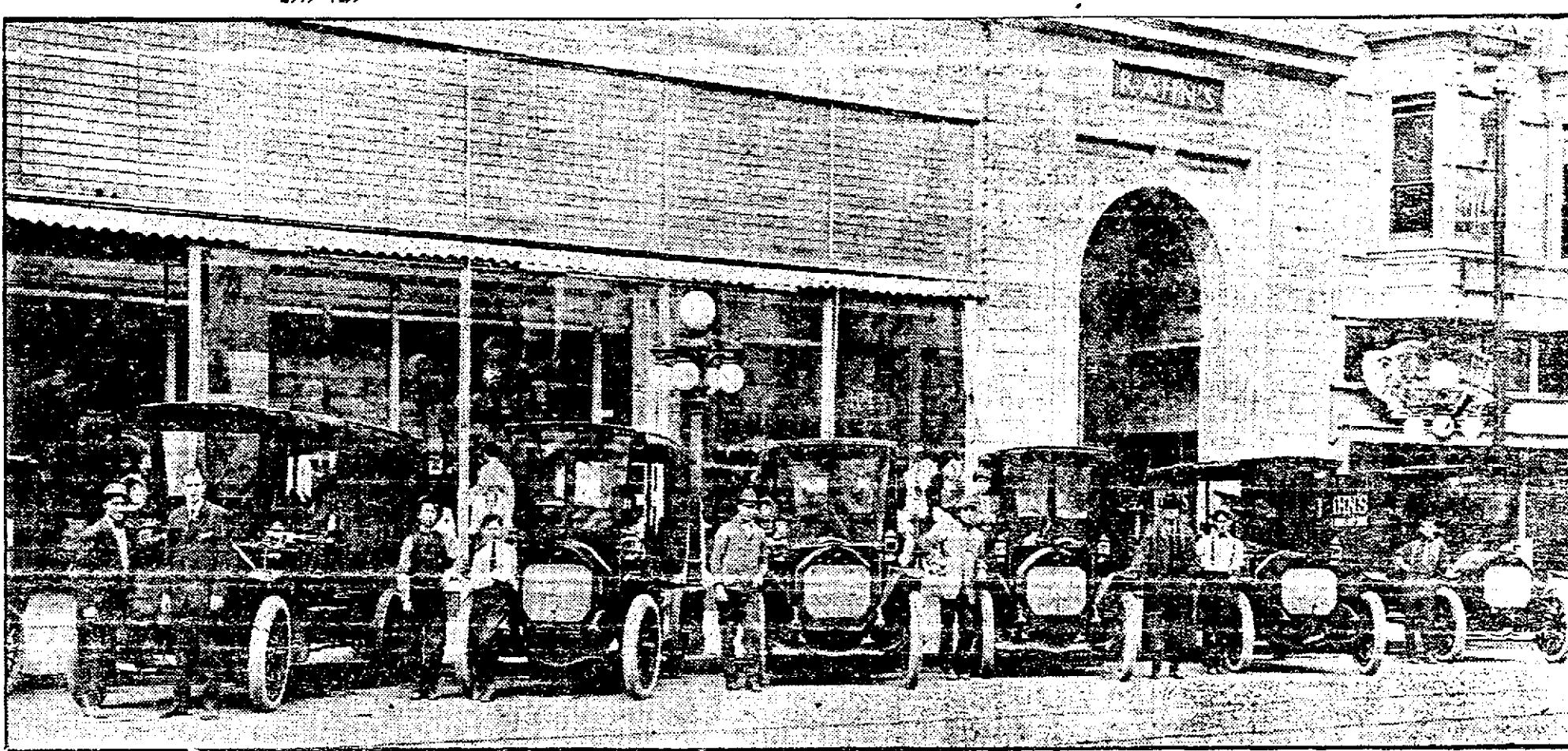
bill embodies drastic provisions to abolish

all such transactions and to penalize buy

ers or sellers of options and futures.

TRY SEPARATION
TO CURE DIVORCEKAHN'S The Xmas Store
Is In Complete Readiness
For The Final Rush

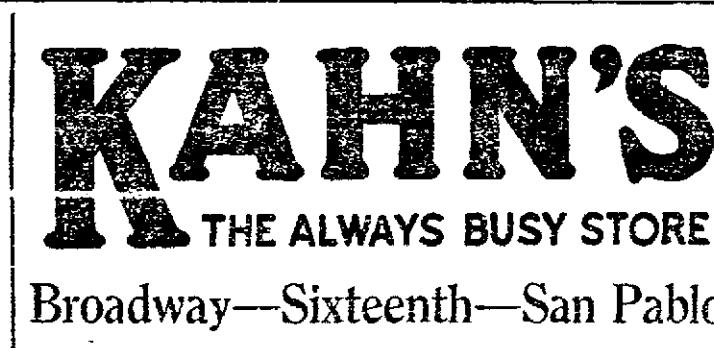
A stock that is unrivaled in size—the monster assortments—the lowest prices in the city—the vast floor space—the army of sales-people—the six new delivery autos, each of 1500 pounds capacity—the fifteen telephone trunk lines, LAKESIDE ONE—the new Accommodation Department where packages are neatly wrapped and weighed for mailing—assure satisfaction to those who have put off Christmas shopping until now.

The Six New Willys Three-Quarter Ton Trucks
Just Delivered For KAHN'S Christmas Rush

After investigating the truck market our final choice WAS above car as best suited to our needs Purchased From J. W. Leavitt & Co.



Phone
Lakeside
One



KAHN'S
THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
Broadway—Sixteenth—San Pablo

Two
Deliveries
Daily



Day Phones

Night Phones



Consumers of Electricity Take Notice

The Pacific Gas & Electric Company's Lake Spaulding-Drum development in the Sierra Nevada is now an accomplished fact and in regular operation.

From the big 225-foot dam at Lake Spaulding the water is now rushing through tunnel and ditch to turn the wheels of the new Drum power plant on the Bear river.

This new development, the machinery of which was set going Thanksgiving eve, has already added 33,000 horse-power to the sum total of electric energy which "PACIFIC SERVICE" places at the disposal of its consumers, night and day.

It is so much additional aid to the development of the natural resources of our wondrous state of California.

"Pacific Service" is Perfect Service.

PACIFIC GAS & ELECTRIC COMPANY

18th and Clay Sts.
15th Park St.
Oxford and Alameda

OAKLAND
ALAMEDA
BERKELEY

Phone—Oak, 470
Alameda 29
Berkeley 5225

PHONES NIGHT AND DAY

TRY COLD? TRY MY CATARRH BALM

Chew Air Passages. You
Create Difficult Hindrance.

Elly's Cream Balm." Small bottle anyway, just to
soothe a little in the nostrils; penetrates and heals the
inflamed nostril membranes which

cause nose, head and throat; clears the
air passages; stops nasty discharges and feeling of cleansing.
soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake tonight struggling
for breath, with head a cold, with its running nose, foul mucus dropping into the
throat, and raw dryness is distressing
but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in
"Elly's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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TRIBUNE'S SUNDAY DOUBLE PAGE OF SPORTS



Ritchie Holds Out for \$15,000 Guarantee; Deadlock

CONFERENCE TOMORROW WILL BE FINAL ACTION

Buckley and Murphy Prepare to Return East in Despair

(By THE TIMEKEEPER)

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.—The conference this afternoon between Promoter Coffroth and representatives of Harlem Tommy and Willie Ritchie failed to break the existing deadlock, and arguments were again put over until 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

So far as Manager Jim Buckley and his Harlem lightweight are concerned, tomorrow's conference will be the last one. Unless Ritchie recedes in his demands and agrees to shave his guarantee in favor of Murphy, Buckley will pack up his grips and return to New York, taking Murphy with him.

"I'm through," said Buckley tonight. "The more Ritchie stalls the more certain I am to be his own reasons for not wanting to meet Murphy. We are merely wasting time fooling around here. I want to get back home for Christmas and so does Tommy. We will leave Gunner Smith here, for I think he is capable of conducting himself alone in his match with Pelkey. I may be able to get out here again by New Year's day. If I can't, the Gunner will have suitable trainers to look after his interests in the corner."

It is understood that Promoter Coffroth is unwilling to guarantee Ritchie more than \$12,500, while the champion is holding out for the \$15,000 which he

was guaranteed for the contest before it was postponed. The promoter contends rightly that public interest can never be keyed up to the same pitch after a contest has once been postponed, and that it costs \$10,000 for advertising and transportation to say nothing of time and trouble wasted.

Murphy now contends he is as good a drawing card as Ritchie and demands a flat 25 per cent of the gross receipts.

Solly Salvatore and Johnnie Reagan will meet at Stockton for a ten round bout one evening next week. They have agreed to make 128 rounds at 3 o'clock and split 50 per cent of the gate receipts, "sixty and forty."

KIRBY WANTS AMATEURS MADE CHEMICALLY PURE

Ex-President of A. A. U. Presents His Plan for New Society

Labeled "A Scheme for the Government of Amateur Sport in the United States and Contiguous Territories" the plan of ex-President Gus Kirby of the Amateur Athletic Union has come to hand. Kirby admitted his plan to the amateur gathering of the Amateur Athletic Union held last month in New York and the plan was referred to the board of governors according to reports. Those who are in a position to judge, figure that the A. A. U. will take no further action on this particular matter at the moment. The plan is interesting to those in the amateur world, for it directly concerns the power of the Amateur Athletic Union which is the governing body of amateur sport in the United States.

Kirby's scheme contemplates the organization of a body to be known by the name of "The American Federation of Amateur Sports," or some similar name.

The members of this federation shall be composed of representatives of its members, and which board will have the power to decide any questions which may be presented to it by any members of the federation, and must sit as a court of last resort on all appeals which may be made to it on the fundamental questions of amateurism which have been decided upon.

An example of the activities of this federation it might be that the United States Tennis association would find itself unable to agree as to whether one not who makes his living as an employee of tennis goods can be a bona fide amateur. In that department which has to do with the sale of tennis supplies such as bat, balls, nets, etc., should be permitted to take part in amateur lawn tennis contests, and such United States Tennis association either because it could not agree or because it so desired might submit this question to the governors of the federation.

First—an amateur is one who competes for sport's sake, or, as Kirby defines it, the rule recently accepted by the International federation, the following:

"First—an amateur is one who competes for the love of sport."

Second—Competes for money or other pecuniary reward in any sport, money or the competition a professional in all sports.

Third—in track and field, athletic sports one who knowingly competes with or against a professional thereby becoming a professional in all sports.

Fourth—in the event of an amateur competing with or against a professional in sports other than track and field athletes or for money or other pecuniary reward, the member of the federation to which the athlete belongs, or the judge of such competitor's status according to its own rules, and its certificate as to the competitor's status shall be accepted by all other members of the federation.

Fifth—one who teaches, trains or coaches in any sport for money or other too easy, and, in consequence, pot bunkers have been scattered about, like the stars in the Milky Way, along the sides of St. Andrews's fairway, to take the place of the poor whines which have abandoned the unequal struggle for existence; also guarding bunkers are being deposited everywhere. To give interest to the approach to putting greens both on seas and inland courses.

I am afraid that we cannot grant the request that "golf is being made more and more difficult." Difficulties are being introduced in order to take the place of difficulties which have vanished, but the latter were more in number than the former will ever be, and were generally of a more formidable character.

So much—unless, indeed, our correspondent cares "to play the like" for the assumption. We may now discuss the question.

Why is the character of courses being altered? Why are bunkers being taken out of the fairway and placed at the sides of the course, and so as to guard the greens? This is the gist of the question. It is quite true that all this is being done, and the answer is, that it is being done in obedience to what appears to be the inevitable law of the human race, that those who have won have come to an extreme in one direction, and are bound to come back with something of a rush in the other. Some 10 or 20 years ago, and in the years between the dates this indicated, the professional's idea of laying out a course (and a great many courses were professionally planned)—a great many by the same professionals—was that the period which was not long after the beginning of the big golf boom—consisted of running a straight bunker across the line to catch a ball if he topped his tee shot, and a second of precisely the same character to catch him if he topped this second.

STRAIGHT DRIVE.

Therein the correspondent asks, taking first the latter—namely, that golf is being made more difficult—which we have to ask if this is really so. The trouble on most courses is that the side hazards and the hazards guarding the green, every kind of floral hazard—and, indeed, almost all hazards except the good old sand bunker in some form of retarified abomination, such as a hard high road or a gravel pit—are being gradually worked away and worked to death by the golfer with his heavy foot and his niblick, so that the course has been for some time past that courses are growing

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JAIL WON'T HOLD BOY HORSE THIEF

Peter Tosta Taken to Merced County Prison: Will Face Trial.

MERCED, Dec. 13.—Peter Tosta, the boy horse and cattle thief, who escaped twice from the Mariposa jail, and escaped from other jails recently and was recaptured yesterday afternoon in the hills, 15 miles west of Newman, by Constable J. E. Newsome of the Mariposa County Sheriff's office, Wright, spent last night in the Newman jail, where he tried to dig out, but was unsuccessful, and today was lodged in the Merced county jail.

Following Tosta's theft of a horse from the Belvue ranch near here, after escaping from the Mariposa jail, Sheriff S.

for the youthful criminal. Constable Newsome and Game Warden Wright put their heads together and figured that Tosta would head for the hills of Alameda county, where he has many friends, and would go straight across the San Joaquin valley to Pacheco pass. Consequently they instituted a search for Tosta in the hills back of Newman. They came upon the fugitive at a ranch house and Tosta tried to mount his stolen horse and run away, but was captured. The officers chased him up a brushy canyon and effected his arrest without trouble. Tosta will be prosecuted this time in Merced county.

YOUNG, BUT HAS RECORD.

Tosta, although not quite 18 years of age, has a criminal record which would be startling for one of greater age and experience. His arrest at Coalinga a few weeks ago was brought about by a series of incidents which occurred a year ago in Alameda county. Since that time Tosta has been closely followed by officers from that county and several times has eluded capture only by the most daring escapades. While confined in the Coalinga jail he planned unsuccessfully at the time meals were being delivered to the prisoners confined therein and make good his escape. He was taken from Coalinga to Pleasanton in care of Constable L. M. Locke of that city and Deputy C. H. Acker of Livermore, but upon arrival at that point was turned over to the officers from Mariposa, where he was wanted on a previous charge of jail-breaking, following his arrest there for burglary.

While in Coalinga he confided to other prisoners concerning several horse-stealing deals in which he had figured along the Mexican boundary, also of some stage hold-ups handled by him in Texas and Arizona. His talk of "several" deals which had to be accounted for because the officers in that part of the country got too close on the trail of his gang, was instigating their scattering and bringing him into the Mariposa and Alameda regions. His usual methods of protection at places where he had to stop is by threats delivered at the point of a gun, and the absolute armed control of the situation at all times.

INDIAN EXPEDITION COMPLETES ITS WORK

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—The Rodman Wanamaker Expedition of Citizenship to the North American Indians, which pledged every Indian tribe in the country to eternal allegiance to the American flag and government, ended this afternoon on the spot where it was inspired—the site of the National Indian Memorial at Fort Wardsworth, Staten Island.

A full-blooded Winnebago, a Yale graduate, and a type of the Indian, civilized and cultured, raised on the summit of Fort Tompkins, where the memorial will be erected, the same flag which was raised there by the Sioux warrior chiefs on Washington's birthday.

Since that day the flag has traveled with the expedition nearly 26,000 miles, has been raised on every Indian reservation in the country, and the Indians have signed their names or placed their thumb marks on the declaration of allegiance prepared by the Western Indians and signed by them at the dedication of the memorial. It floated high over the harbor for a short time this afternoon, raised first and last by an Indian, and will be placed in the memorial museum over the spot where the monument is completed.

WATER IS PILFERED FROM MILLIONAIRES

HILDESBOURGH, Dec. 13.—While at divers times it is said that wine and even pelebian beer have been stolen from the Burlingame Country club, no one was certain until this morning that water from that home of millionaires in Hillside. It was perfectly good water, too, and was not to be used for irrigating the parched throat of millionaire or even a person laying claim to no blue-blooded ancestry.

James Smith was the guilty man, according to the reports, and his employers, the Clark & Hansen construction company, are the ones deemed by sub-members to be guilty of the crime of taking their water without saying as much as "by your leave."

It appears that Smith's employers are doing some construction work in Burlingame, and with that took the water from the Country club hydrant, which to fill a tank wagon. Now it is a question as to whether the crime alleged to have been committed is that of grand or petty larceny, for the club members have no idea of the capacity of a water tank, and therefore know something of their own capacities.

Anyway, a warrant was sworn out by the exclusive ones yesterday morning, and the construction company will have to answer for the alleged water pilfering before the majesty of the law.

SCIENCE AIDING TO SAVE SMALL INFANT

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—Two physicians and three nurses are guarding an incubator at Michael Reese hospital and aiding a three-pound boy in his struggle for life. The child is three weeks old and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville E. Babcock of Lake Forest. Mrs. Babcock was Ellen Walsh, daughter of the late John R. Walsh. A small room was transformed into an incubator when it was discovered that the infant was losing weight. The temperature of the room is kept at 80 degrees and the patient is supplied with pure oxygen through sterilized rubber tubes. He is fed every few hours with a few drops of sterilized and modified milk.

DOG TEAMS ATTEMPT RECORD BREAKING TRIP

ATLANTA, Dec. 13.—Four dog teams, each carrying 300 pounds of meat and provisions, are on the way to the Arctic. The team is conceded to be the longest dog team trip in the world. They are to reach the fringe of the Arctic in February 20.

One team has a small packet of Arctic explorer, the other, the most famous dog teams.

\$78,000 Alimony Too Much Pinching Along on \$15,000



MRS. GEORGE G. HEYE, WHO WAS SCORED BY COURT FOR DEMANDING EXCESSIVE ALIMONY.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—How much can a divorced wife reasonably live on? Wives often have differed on the matter; so have courts. The courts have denied Mrs. George G. Heye, who secured a divorce from her banker husband, \$78,000 yearly, as unreasonable, and now she is contenting herself with \$15,000. The divorce wasn't regarded as unreasonable—at least as far as the court decided. The sum she asked was. Even if hubby is rich, the court doesn't see how a single woman can spend so much money; that is the gist of the lecture administered by the judge.

Mrs. Heye, who had visions, perhaps, of rare gowns and automobiles, now knows that gowns and automobiles are rarer than she suspected, and as a consequence is living on the lesser sum. Of course, it's enough to afford a little automobile and a little dressing! She has gotten along very well so far, on the

little sum, she declared.

After she had given the child a meal, Mrs. Gilmer tried to find out from the child where she lived, but failing, referred the matter to the police. The child was cared for by the police matron, who reported, apart from neglect, the child had suffered no injury in the course of her absence. After establishing the child's identity, the father took her home. The news of the child's return spread like wildfire and neighbors crowded into the Byrne home to congratulate the parents and to share their joy. Amid the excitement little could be ascertained from the child regarding her wanderings.

"Where have you been, Winnie?" the father asked, pressing the child to his heart. "No answer.

"Who took you away, Winnie?" he tried again. "A man," the child replied.

"Where did you go, Winnie?" he replied.

"Where did you sleep, Winnie?" he asked again. "In a car," the child replied.

"Who dressed you, Winnie?" No answer.

"Who dressed you, Winnie?" "A man," she said.

"I should say a man did dress her," broke in the mother. "She got her sweater underneath her dress and all her underwear is gone."

"It's a blessing that she's come back alive." Neighbors who flocked in to share in the joy said this so often that it became a refrain.

The parents concluded that some one had obtained possession of the child with the intention of keeping her and had dyed her hair to prevent identification, but had feared to continue to hold the girl after the publicity which the case had received.

When the excitement had somewhat subsided and the child had received a much needed bath, it was found that her hair was not injured permanently, as the coloring matter came out on the application of soap and water.

Tulare, Dec. 13.—At a business meeting of the First Congregational church at Tulare, Wednesday night, it was decided to enlarge the church, providing extra room on the east and north sides of the church.

Lindsay, Dec. 13.—According to railroad figures 245 cars of oranges were shipped out of Tulare county on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Woodland, Dec. 13.—Lester Caldwell, first lieutenant of Company F, National Guard, broke both bones of his right arm yesterday while in the act of cranking an automobile.

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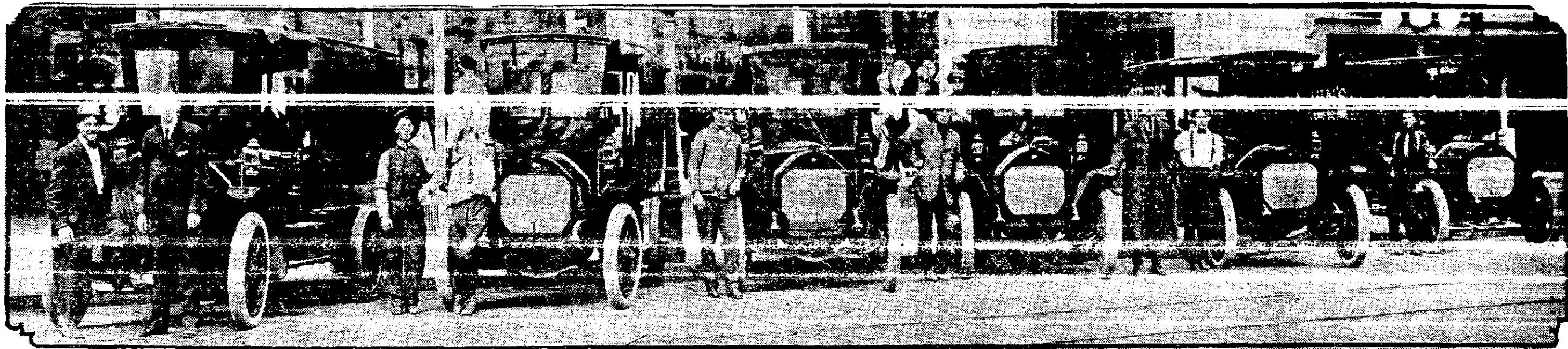
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STATE HIGHWAY TO FRESNO IS READY

Two Hundred Miles for Dinner Is Unusual Drive

A drive of 200 miles between lunch and dinner time is generally considered strenuous by even the most enthusiastic speed burner. The state highway between Bakersfield and Fresno has not only entered useable, but the occupants of the car are not any more fatigued than they are from driving half the distance over the ordinary roads at the present time, says Claud McGee of the Howard Automobile Company. Burch distributors, who drove down to Fresno last Saturday with Fred Gross, also of the Howard Automobile Company, in one of the new 1914 28 h. p. Buick touring cars.

According to the two veteran drivers, there is just 29 miles of road between Oakland and Fresno that is yet to be put into shape. This 29 miles is divided into three sections, the first of which is encountered at the northern boundary of Stanislaus county, and extends south in the direction of Modesto for five miles.

The next break in the highway is three miles long, and is encountered two miles north of Atwater. The third and last gap begins two and a half miles north of Merced, and extends south 21 miles to the little town of Fairmead.

Construction work is in progress on both the long stretches and they will grow shorter as more is built.

Dublin Boulevard is also completed, with the exception of about a quarter of a mile at the foot of Bakersfield. This short piece of road is graded and has a temporary dressing on it and should give no trouble. During the first after a very heavy rain, the bridge across the San Joaquin River at Bridgetown has also been repaired and is again in commission.

There is still a great amount of work to be done on all of the State highway over which we traveled before it will be absolutely completed, so there has been very little work other than grading done on each side of the concrete strip which forms the main roadway. This does not interfere in any way with the use of the road, however.

On the down trip there was no effort made at speed, and plenty of time was taken to secure accurate road data, and also to make photos of some of the more interesting portions of both the improved and unimproved roadway.

On the return trip we decided that we would test the little Buick out just to see how it would perform on a long run where the maximum speed which the new State law will allow was maintained, and the speedometer band was held just at 30 miles per hour for almost the entire distance of 193 miles. At one time, on a particularly straight and level piece of highway, the throttle was opened wide, in a short distance the speedometer showed 35 miles per hour. We decided that that was as fast as anyone could ask a fully equipped touring car to run, so slowed down again to the 30 miles per hour mark. In spite of this continued high speed, not the slightest trouble was experienced with the little Buick, not even a drop of water being put in the radiator on the entire trip of 396 miles.

The same set of Goodyear No-Ram-Cut tires was used on this run that were used on the little Buick Roadster when it lowered the road record more than 17 hours between here and Portland last September, and the only trouble experienced with them was one puncture which was caused by a nail we picked up on one of the new bridges.

AUTOS ARE USED BY HUNTERS NOW

Hunting via the automobile route is becoming more and more a favorite pastime in California, according to Samuel W. Crim, San Francisco agent of the Knox Automobile Company. In spite of his busy routine, manages to steal away for a few short occasions.

"The California uses his automobile constantly, whether at work or at play," says Crim. "In fact, he practically lives in it. It is but natural, therefore, that his car should be just as much a part of his hunting equipment as his gun."

"By getting an early morning start it enables him to go far out into the remote sections for several hours' ramble in some of nature's most glorious hunting regions and still get back for a good night's sleep in his own bed."

"We Californians believe the automobile was made to be used, and whether it is hunting or just running about town



R. E. ZIMMERMAN, THE NEW
SALES MANAGER OF THE E.
L. PEACOCK AUTO COM-
PANY, WHO HAS JOINED
FORCES WITH GENERAL
MANAGER FRED HAUGER.

CADILLAC COVERS LONG SIERRA RUN

Walker Pass Road Across the Mountains Negotiated by Auto.

(By EDMUND CRINNION.) It is not generally known that it is possible with a good car to negotiate the Sierras at this time of the year, from Nevada and return, yet this is what was accomplished last week by A. H. Howe, an officer of the Nevada Consolidated at Goldfield.

Leaving Goldfield last Saturday afternoon, Howe made Independence at night, a distance of 100 miles. Two hours was spent en route, digging out of the deep snow, 20 miles from Goldfield. Toll House in the White mountains, an elevation of 8000 feet, is passed on this leg of the journey. This is about 2000 feet above the present snow level. Next day the journey was resumed and Bakersfield was reached Sunday night.

Howe made the trip through the Walker pass but encountered some very bad roads and a great deal of mud. He relates that in some places he found mud considerably above the running boards and would be compelled to back up and buck a great barrier of mud two or three times before getting through. He arrived at the local Don Lee branch with his car in fine shape but with about 500 pounds of Sierra mud.

Howe says he will return in about a week. He will take the Tehachapi pass out of Bakersfield this time and through Jaw Bone canyon at Chico. He may drive to Tonopah and Salt Lake City. Howe has nothing but praise for the 1914 Cadillac and claims that it is the best car he has ever seen, in snow, mud and sand.

FORD CARS FOR POLICE.

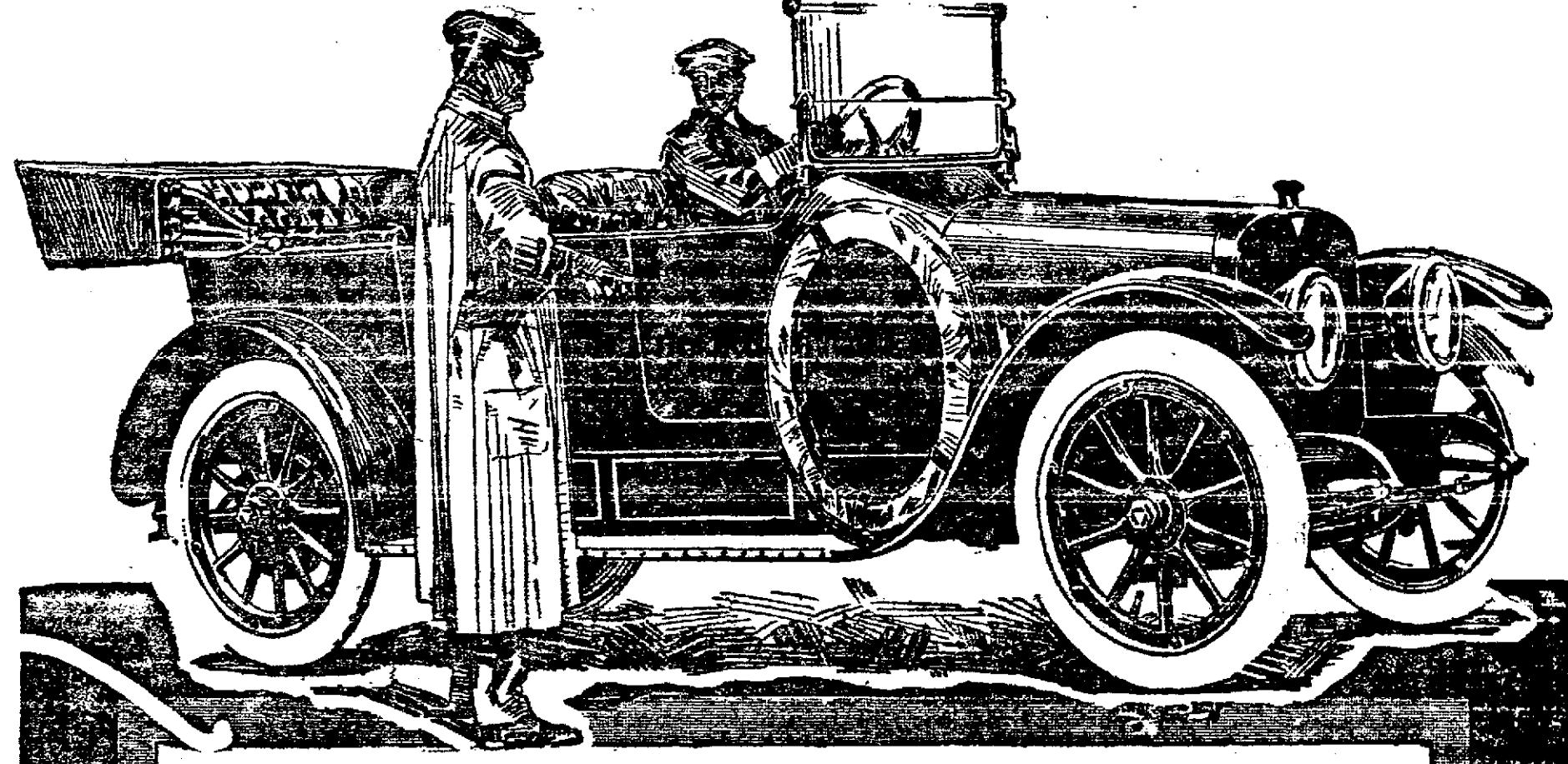
Evidence that the Ford cars are creating places for themselves where the use of machines was never thought of as even a remote possibility is given by the local Veitch & Presley Ford car agency, by the closing of sales for three of the Ford roadsters to the Oakland police department for the use of patrolmen. The cars will be all equipped or not as the local boys express it. They will have electric lights and all of the contrivances possible to facilitate the work of the police and patrol the hillside districts as effectively as possible.

Another sale of Ford cars for commercial purposes is told by Veitch & Presley of a roadster and touring car model to the Crystal Laundry of Oakland for use in its laundry.

LINZ-SANBORN AUTO NEWS.

Five carloads of the Marathon cars are now en route to the Linz-Sanborn Motor

advice received here this morning by Fred Linz. The shipment of the famous Marathon cars is due to arrive here about Christmas week. Also, two carloads of the champion National cars have been shipped this week and fast time is expected on their travel to the coast. John Fremming, the Oakland agent for the National car, was advised by Linz yesterday that the National Car factory had given every assurance of keeping the coast well supplied with the new six cars. We don't intend to let the motors get rusty from lack of use."



We Want You to See the Hudson Light Six-40—Came Yesterday

Here is the car that you motorists have waited for. Here is the car that brings true the dreams of men who have anticipated the coming of a low-priced, economical car. The HUDSON Six-40 IS lighter, more flexible and costs LESS than a four, gives greater mileage per gallon of gasoline, requires less lubricating oil, is easier on tires, is much more comfortable and vibrationless.

The New HUDSON Six-40 is unquestionably one of the handsomest cars ever built. All models have body and chassis of Hudson coach blue, black moldings cut with hair line gold stripe. Hood, radiator, fenders, splash guards and all exposed metal parts finished in three coats baked-on black enamel (special Hudson process). This graceful, powerful HUDSON Six-40 with its REAL streamline body is raised instantly out of the class of every other light-

weight car on the market today. This car is absolutely individual in the motor car field. It is impossible to find such a powerful, stable and economical car as the HUDSON Six-40—weight 2940 lbs.—47 Horse Power.

REAL streamline body, left-hand drive, right-hand (center) control, seats two, four or six passengers, hand-buffed leather upholstering throughout. One-man top of genuine Pantasots with jiffy curtains, extra tire carried AHEAD.

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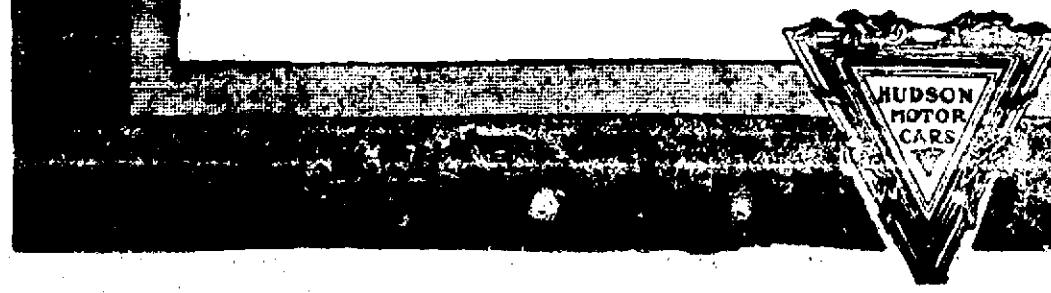
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LEWIS TRUCKS ARE CAUSING COMMENT

New Oakland Concern Places Machines on Display in Salesroom.

Oakland's latest manufacturing concern, the Lewis Motor Truck Company, Inc., which, as was told exclusively in last SUNDAY'S TRIBUNE, has moved its plant and salesroom to Oakland, has already forged a place for itself as one of the factors in the auto truck business in this territory.

The new truck company has during the past week finished three of the trucks that were in the building before moving operations began, and by tomorrow all three of the new trucks (a two and one-half, a three-ton and a five-ton) will be on the showroom floor ready for inspection by the truck buyers.

The new manager of the company has

on the building of more of the "Home Industry" trucks as he expresses it. He is now at work perfecting a sales force for the placing of the Western built trucks before the truck buyers.

The officials of the company, which it is claimed is backed by well-known financiers and bankers, are very much pleased with the progress of the company and its reception in Oakland, which city is conceded to be one of the best truck centers in California, on account of the number of dealers necessary to handle the

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One of the officials of the company stated yesterday that while the company was a member of the Home Industry League, and was a firm believer in patronizing home products, still the fact also remained that the company had already placed 30 of the Lewis trucks on the market and all of them were running to the complete satisfaction of the owners, which was guaranteed enough that the Lewis truck was no experiment and the buyers could depend on the values of the home products. He said:

"There is no longer any doubt about the motor truck being an economic necessity, solving the problem of industrial haulage, but in order to prove to economy it must be properly constructed, especially if it is to be used in localities where the road conditions are not of the best. It is known that the roads in the country lying west of the Rocky Mountains are more severe than the level country of the East, where good roads and eight roads travel.

"It has been our aim to construct trucks that will successfully meet Western conditions and we take great pleasure in submitting the Lewis Trucks to prospective purchasers. We believe that the design of our truck is unquestionably superior to any other that is on the market today. It is our contention that a truck designed to operate successfully in hills or mountainous country will also do well in the flat, and in the hills or mountainous roads. We call particular attention to our half-shaft bearings, which are of very heavy steel construction and have the admirable Timkin bearings on either side. Our springs are of the full platform type, especially attention being given to the proper load distribution, and also to securing a perfectly balanced truck. The axles are of the Timkin extra heavy type, with Timkin roller bearings. The radius rods are exceptionally strong, and under all conditions maintain a constant distance between the front and rear spindles. Radius rods also have very powerful springs, in order to absorb abnormal shocks when suddenly throwing in clutch or when locking up to curves. The Lewis steering gear is exceptionally well balanced, the double worm and spur type, and is positively free from play, which feature will be appreciated by all motor truck drivers, especially in bad roads.

The driver's seat on the 5-ton chassis is located above the engine, assuring maximum loading space with minimum wheelbase and minimum overhang. The driver's seat on the 2½-ton is placed behind the engine hood, but it is optional with the purchaser to place it above the engine.

"We are ready to furnish trucks with any sort of body, but it is a well-known fact that certain classes of loads require changes in the chassis. We are building special chassis for side-dump trucks, for stake body trucks and also building a special ladder chassis without overhang, enabling one to successfully dump lumber from the rear. We guarantee to always make a perfectly balanced truck, regardless of the material that is to be loaded.

"The fact that a successful motor truck is built on the Pacific Coast should appeal very strongly to users of trucks, because of quick service and quick repair in case of breakdowns. All of our parts are made on the interchangeable plan, and, due to the fact that we carry a large quantity of parts always on hand, quick shipment of parts can be made to whatever place the truck is operating in, and replacements can be made on the ground. This is possible on account of our method of construction. All truck users, when purchasing additional trucks, take the service problems as first consideration, type of truck, second. It is well for all buyers to remember this—and profit thereby.

"We invite careful inspection of the work at our factory. Visitors are always welcome. Our slogan is 'Made in the West for the West.'

STEVENS-DURYEA ELECTS OFFICERS

Finances in Excellent Shape, According to Yearly Budget.

At the annual meeting of the Stevens-Duryea Company the following officers were re-elected: President, W. H. Whitehead; vice-president, J. Frank Duryea; clerk, W. M. Remington; L. H. Page, treasurer.

Page's retirement is in line with his decision made over two years ago, to retire from active participation in the affairs of the company, at which time he relinquished the presidency.

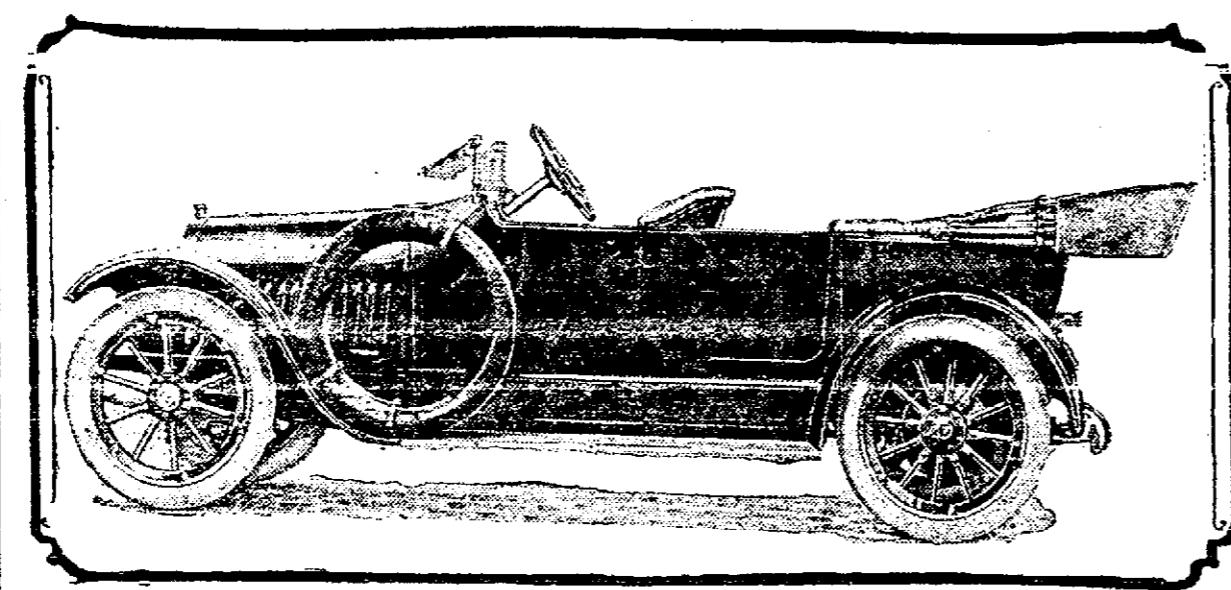
The company's finances are upon a strong and satisfactory basis. Its progress has been one of steady growth, always occupying a leading position in the

progressive work with one purpose, and that concentration on motor cars of the highest quality, the wisdom of which has been verified in the sale of its product to the most exacting purchasers of high-grade motor cars.

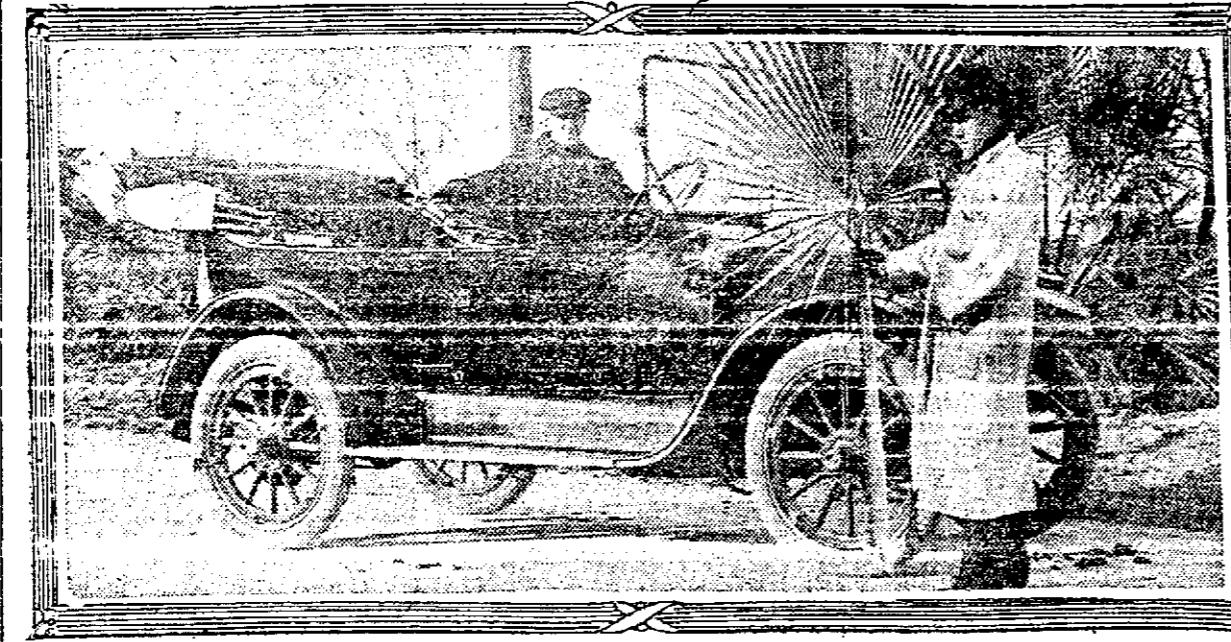
Its history has been unique, as throughout this period the value of its product has steadily increased, which has made possible the maintenance of the standards set by the organization.

The Stevens-Duryea Company is one of the few leading automobile companies of

THE NEW OAKLAND HOME OF THE LEWIS MOTOR TRUCK COMPANY, INC., ON THE CORNER OF TWELFTH AND OAK STREETS.



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Kahn's Latest to Get Away From Horse Delivery System.

Annual Meetings of National Body Results in Many Resolutions.

One of the largest deals of its kind recorded locally was closed this week when the six new Willys Utility Trucks were placed in the delivery service of the Kahn Bros. Department Store in Oakland by the local house of J. W. Leavitt & Company.

The six new trucks arrived in ample time to handle the holiday rush in the delivery system of the big store throughout Alameda county. W. R. Drexel of the motor truck department of the Leavitt Company in Oakland stated yesterday that the adoption of motor trucks shows the tendency of the times to get away from the wasteful horse delivery systems. Drexel says:

"No one who has not taken the pains of comparing the two methods has any conception of the wastefulness of the horse as compared to the motor truck in the transportation of merchandise.

"We have the horse habit so firmly fixed that even the most startling arguments against the equine have thus far failed to root this expensive domestic animal. According to United States Government reports, a large majority of our three principal crops go to feed the horse, while throughout the country the high cost of food products is working havoc. With the elimination of the horse, this vast amount of material could be utilized for human consumption and the cost of living materially reduced.

"The horse crop of the United States for this year will amount to \$740,000,000. The horse eats nearly all of this. If horses were replaced by motor trucks, probably 90 per cent of the land not used for growing hay could be devoted to raising food stuffs, and the high cost of living would take a drop.

"A total of \$234,000,000 worth of oats is raised annually in our country. The horse eats most of it. If this oat-growing land could be utilized, there would be millions of bushels of potatoes and other food stuffs raised.

"The corn crop this year is conservatively valued at \$2,000,000. The horse eats a very large part of this; another demonstration of criminal waste in the scheme for maintenance of human population.

These three crops have a total value this year of \$2,074,000,000. A large part of this money goes for the feeding of 20,000,000 horses and mules.

"If we could eliminate half of this total number of draught animals—and this could be accomplished by the use of motor trucks—there would be a saving of \$1,557,000,000, or an average of nearly \$18 saving for each of the 90,000,000 people in the United States. And \$18 added to the available living fund of each of our people would mean vastly improved living conditions for everyone concerned."

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the parts for chassis, as well as building all types of bodies, as it has the most modern equipped body manufacturing plant in the country.

The company's export business is being developed, and within a few years will become a substantial part of its business, as statistics which have been gathered and investigations which have been made offer the assurance that a greatly increased demand will be noted for the

higher quality American cars in all parts of the world.

The American Automobile Association at its annual meeting just held in Richmond, Va., declared unequivocally that federal participation in highways improvements should be expressed so as to oblige the several states to expand upon their market roads directly serving the farm population a sum proportionate to the national expenditure on the most used commercial roads connecting the several states. It is the contention of the automobileists that the betterment of main and lateral roads shall be carried forward jointly in order to accommodate adequately increasing traffic needs, according to C. A. Penfield, Oakland manager, handling the Chalmers cars in this territory.

Advices received by Penfield state that emphatic endorsement was given to the Adamson measure, which provides that after the automobile owner has registered his car in his own state he shall be privileged to go anywhere in the United States without additional registration.

For many years the A. A. A. has sought federal registration of automobiles, but this bill put forward by Representative Adamson of Georgia exactly meets the needs of the situation, and it will enlist the unanimous support of all users of state-registered vehicles.

Complimenting Secretary of the Interior Lane for his commendable work of making the national parks more available to road travelers, the association also placed itself on record as favoring increased federal appropriations for the national recreation regions, and pledged co-operation with the American Civic Association in the movement for a Bureau of National Parks.

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**BURNING OF DEPOT
TO CLOSE CARNIVAL**

The burning of the old Sixteenth street depot, which has been rebuilt in miniature, will be the feature to-night, the closing night, of the mid-winter carnival being held in Sixteenth street near the Southern Pacific station under the auspices of the West Sixteenth Street Improvement Association. Other features will be a fireworks display, dance of the horribles, and throwing of confetti. In the afternoon there will be a ball game between the Boyle and Lawler and New Era teams, long distance throwing and field events. Performances by Michael Lawler, high diver and member of the Phoenix swimming club, Joseph Irving, tight-rope walker, and Joseph Le Strange, aeronaut will also be given.

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A hard stubborn cold that hangs on, is broken up by Humphreys' "Seventy-seven"

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In the dentist's chair for a moment and think only of what you would be willing to give if your teeth were in the condition you would like to have them. You know that you are neglecting them and that every day that goes by they are getting worse and worse. What would you not give to have clean, strong, healthy teeth?

But it's the fear of pain in having the work done that makes you neglect this duty to yourself. You have heard of painless dentistry, and you may have suffered at the hands of some so-called painless dentist. If you classify my work with that kind of dentistry, you are cheating yourself and doing me an injustice. There is nothing in dentistry that I cannot do WITHOUT PAIN TO YOU. Every dentist in the country has his own special method, and they will gladly tell you so. You are doing yourself a fearful injustice when you neglect your teeth because of this imaginary pain. I have over 700,000 satisfied patients in the twenty-five years of my practice who testify to the truth of my painless method. I could not make this claim and build up the largest dental business in the world without making good. If I can make good for others I can for you. CONSULTATION AND EXAMINATION FREE.

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**Gotham Suffragists Active
To Hold Monster Meeting**



MISS FOLA LA FOLLETTE, WHO WILL BE SPEAKER AT COMING MEETING OF SUFFRAGETTES.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—With notables, men and women voicing their opinion in what to woman, is the paramount issue of the New York suffrage "A" gathering next month at the Brooklyn Academy of Music for the second of the great "Votes for Women" meetings which have attracted the attention of the entire country. Miss Fola La Follette, in private life Mrs. George Middleton, noted as a suffrage worker and the daughter of the doughty Senator, Miss Jane Addams and Senator Borah of Idaho will be the speakers of the affair.

Feminist woman will occupy boxes, while their daughters will act as ushers at the big session. The mass meeting will open the state suffrage campaign. Among those to accept invitations for seats of honor are Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Hinrichs, Henry Scheideman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sufire, Angus F. Camme-

THE BETTER WAY:

(By CHRISTOPHER RUSS.)

QUAKER CURE FOR NEIGHBOR HOOD QUARRELS.

A witness, the mother of two babies, was recently suspended to court and to Juvenile Court and tell what she knew about a certain matter. The good lady remonstrated, saying that she has no one at home to care for her babies while she went to court. It was suggested to her that other women in her dilemma, frequently asked a kind neighbor to borrow the babies till after court.

"Nonsense," was the reply. "I do not associate with such trash."

"You are very hard on your neighbors."

"Well, they are just that, just trash."

"Didn't you ever hear of the Quaker who told the secret of how to find good neighbors?"

"No. How did he do it?"

"Well, he was traveling from Smithton to Jonesville, and he met a stranger moving his household effects. The stranger asked him what kind of neighborhood he was born in. He said it was in Jonesville. The Quaker replied with the simple query, "What kind of neighbors did they leave behind?" The stranger answered that

they were the meanest, stingiest, most disagreeable, hatefullest neighbors imaginable. Well, said the Quaker, then will find the very same sort of people in Jonesville.

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BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES
(Continued)

SNAP—1912 Twin Indian, equipped; run 800 miles; perfect condition. Box 1018, Tribune, Berkeley.

THOR 4 with tandem, good condition, magneto, 3-inch tire in rear, 2 1/2 in front, from a garage, \$55. Will take 15 hours to get a gun as payment.

1912 WALNUT st. Alameda.

1912 TWIN Indian, fully equipped tandem, pricest, lessings; a real bargain. \$49. 20th.

1911 TWIN Excelsior, fully equipped, tandem, etc. \$120. 2101 21st st. Pier 2002.

FOR SALE

MISCELLANEOUS

A CLOSING OUT SALE at wholesale prices—\$1500 stock of choice groceries; also the following: storage tanks; lumber, 1000 ft. Oak electric coffee mill, one hand coffee mill; 8 sets Dayton meat slicers, 2 show cases, 1 soda fountain, 4 sanitary jars, 1000 ft. Caskey register, 4 tables, 1 delivery truck, 1000 ft. rubberized bus, etc. All must be sold.

SECOND-HAND pumps bought and sold; 1000 ft. canvas bags made to order; repairing; 750 17th; Lakeside 2952.

SECOND-HAND lumber, brick, all kinds building material; plumbing, windows, doors, Union Wreck Co. 39th San Fran.

THREE ORIENTAL rugs for sale at once. Phone Oakland 2615.

YOUNG thoroughbred Irish setter, won country show, \$150; winner at recent Oakland show; cheap. 665 Arima ave., Lakeside 2000.

ALL sizes second-hand pipe; best quality standard water pipe, screen, casings, gauze, etc.; new, strong, cheap. Weissbaum Pipe Works, 155 11th st., S. F.

All Men's Hats \$1.50

M. & M. Hat Works, 257 12th, near Alce. A LARGE new Victor victrola with 28 records and cabinet; cheap for cash.

BUYERS AND SELLERS' 21st.

300 Bacon block. Phone Oak 5153.

Women's Exchange 57 14th st. Dials and Name display. We have an unusually attractive display of hand-made novelties. Our home-made cakes, plum puddings, etc., are made. Drop in some day for luncheon.

WARDROBE TRUNKS out to 45 inches, in length to comply with railroad rules. Oakland Trunk Factory, Oakland 3563.

A FINE dining-room table for sale cheap. 926 52d st. Oakland.

A NEW Tuxedo suit, size 40; cost \$60. 2327 Broadway; phone Oak 7395.

AN ORIGINAL \$450 upright piano sacrificed for \$65. 1504 Union, near 16th.

BEAUTIFUL new upright piano, mahogany; sacrificed for \$100 cash. Phone Merritt 3744.

BOOKCASE orchina closet, suitable for doctor's or dentist's office; reasonable. Call at 603 47th st., near Grove.

WOODFARD AND BOATHOUSE North end, Chestnut st., Alameda. Phone Alameda 3208.

Xmas Trees! Wholesale and Retail. PETERSON BROS.

14TH ST., BET. FRANKLIN AND WEBSTER, ALSO AT 12TH ST. AND 5TH AVE.

Xmas Trees See up, delivered, or Xmas Trees der now. Oak 524.

YOL are only one of many, reading this column. Have you anything to exchange for money or goods? Are you advertising?

40 JARS home canned peaches and tomatoes; 20c jars included. Scranton, 3530 14th ave. Sunday.

2-STORY, 7-room old house to be remodeled. 14th and Harrison. Col. 1522 Broadway.

50 BUYS Pit bull pup, female, pedigree. 1216 Kanning and Lince ave. car.

FOR EXCHANGE MISCELLANEOUS

AMERICAN bolting engine, first-class condition, to exchange for horses or mules. 1227 28th st. Merritt 1745.

WANTED MISCELLANEOUS

AA-HIGHEST price paid for good cast-off clothes and shoes. 614 Washington st. phone Oakland 5793.

BEST prices for men's suits. J. Muller, 500 5th st. phone Oakland 6457.

DIAMONDS WANTED, any size; we will pay spot cash; no delay or publicity in our transactions; we have private offices. California Loan Office, California's largest pawnbrokers, 322 Broadway, S.W. corner 5th st., Oakland.

DIAMONDS and old gold bought. Room 614 McMurphy st. H. Stellmire.

FURNITURE wanted; we give you more for your furniture and household goods than you can get. 14th and Webster. Corner 4th and Webster Sts., Oakland. Telephones: Oakland 2653; 7208.

KIST will pay you more for your second-hand furniture than anybody. 432 10th st., phone Oakland 3737.

PIRE WOOD, stove or grate, length, \$3.50 per load; sidewall delivery, \$5 per inside. Bay Wrecking Co., Alameda, marsh. Phone Lakeside 253.

FOR SALE Brand new bakery wagon; hand made; will paint to suit. F. W. Wheeler, 2544 Broadway.

FOR SALE Extra wood, second-hand, well drilling machinery at unusually low prices. Ad Box 471 Tiffin, Ohio.

FOR SALE 20 fine canary birds; best singers; raised in aviary. Oak 5573.

FOR SALE Lady's small gold watch; price 15.50. Box 1145, Tribune.

FOR SALE 65 note player piano music; 20c roll. Oakland 3200.

FOR SALE 2 horse express wagon and one saddle. 818 55th st.

FOR SALE A set of white fur furs; never used. 338 10th st.

FOR SALE Fur coat, size 38; length 52 inches. Phone Piedmont 8219.

FOR SALE a bargain, square Fischer piano. 2714 Telegraph; Berkeley 5917.

FOR SALE typewriter bargains see Oakland Typewriter Exchange, 1427 Broadway.

GENUINE mink set \$15. 529 Chicago ave., 4th ave. car.

HOLLAND

BULBS

Spanish Iris \$0.10 per dozen Daffodils \$0.20 per dozen

Narcissus \$0.20 per dozen Tulips \$0.20 per dozen

Hyacinths \$0.25 per dozen Ranunculus, Anemones and all other bulbs to close out.

HOGAN, KOOYMAN & CO. 355 12th St. Tel. Oakland 2551.

LADIES

BAGS

The stock of Hogg & Winchester Co. at bankrupt prices. Gloves, suitcases, auto robes, novelties, etc. Oakland Har. Co., 1915 San Pablo; ph. Oak 8355.

LEAVING TOWN, no reasonable offer refused. Mahogany, fumed oak furniture, piano and carpets. 820 18th st.; San Pablo car to 24th st.

LAUNCH, in fine condition, 6x28, glass-covered and beautiful, 4-cylinder en. 20-h. p. make offer; must sell April 30, 19th ave.

MUST be sold for storage, elegant oak counter, Hungarian ash panels. 533 17th. United Transfer Co.

MARSHAL & WENDEL piano, Victor No. 4 graphophone and Morris chair; in first class condition. 3114 Randolph ave.

WIGGANS 2000 Westlake steel counter, 674 17th ave.

ONE 2-karat pure white diamond, perfect cut and very brilliant, will bear closest investigation; do not come unles you mean business. 107 San Pablo, phone Oakland 5256.

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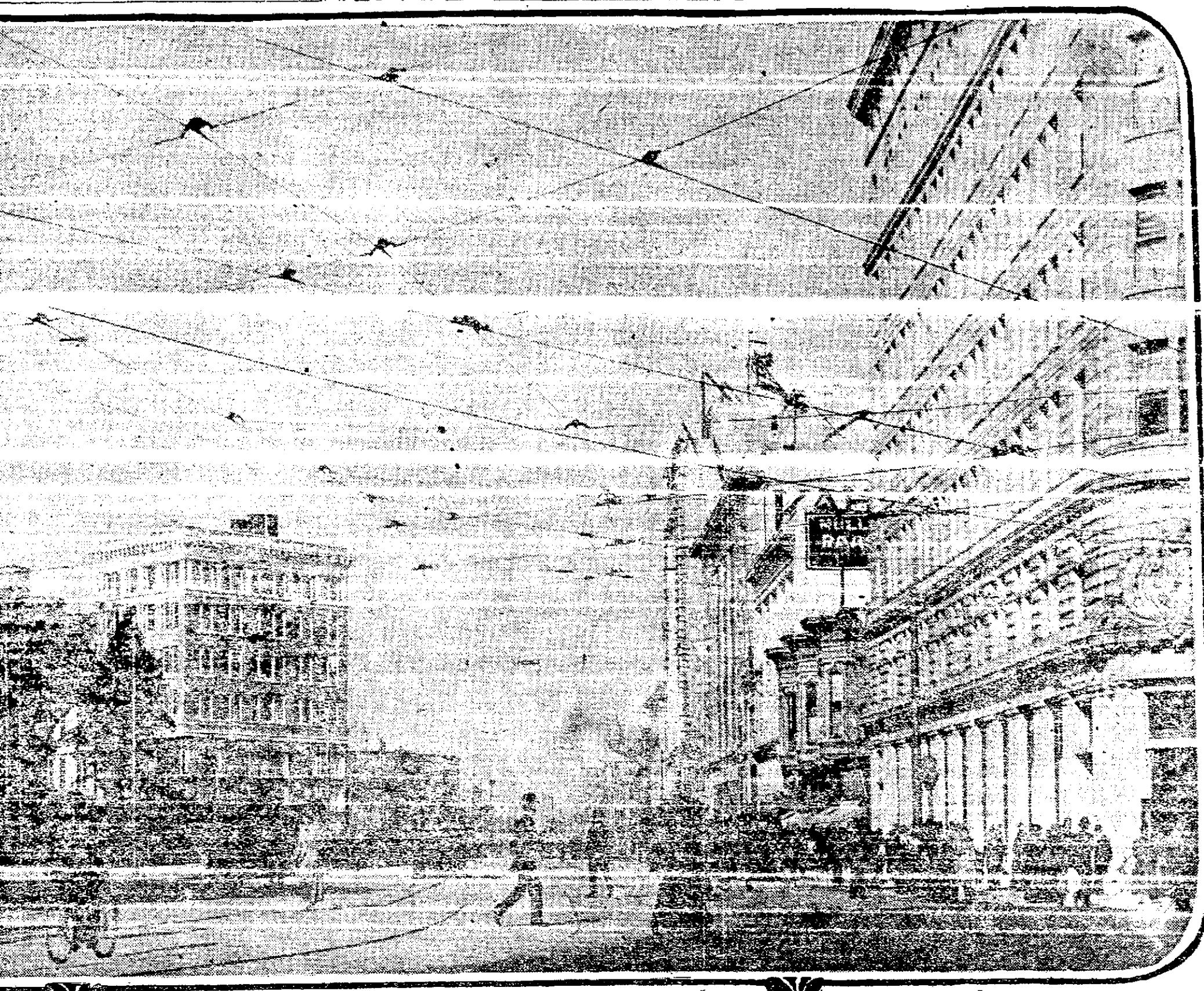
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LIDAY REALTY TRADE IN BRISK CONDITION

teenth street and Broadway, showing new buildings around plaza. On the east side of San Pablo avenue are the First National Bank, Woodward, Kahn and First Trust, the latter under construction on the west side the Heeseman & Hoffman building. The top of the new Dalziel office structure is shown on Fifteenth street, opposite the city hall.



PRINCIPLES TATE DEALING

DIGEST OF RECENT REALTY DECISIONS

Impede of Principals in Deal

Important Cases, Involving Real Estate Transactions, Are Settled

1 Practices; Keep Con- Deal, Advice

ination of a deal involving the only three parties—buyer, seller and a simple matter. It ought to be the transaction understood their But it needs only one false step, instances with no intention of or one of the other principals, to protect themselves by a resort not only unethical but illegal as on the business of dealing in

and intelligently assumed, followed we can be no moral satisfaction The agent cannot escape the self-earned money, and this is certain estate business. On the other to stand by contracts and not open by becoming contract-breakers, contracts which are the stock in

of bringing them face to face, it is sufficient for an agent to earn his commission if he produces without delay a written and valid contract to purchase according to the terms and conditions of his authorization to sell, said purchaser being ready, willing and able to buy. Verbal authority to sell and verbal agreements as to the commission are valid and just as good as if written, in so far as such agreements go, but for legal action all such contracts must be in writing. The law does not render oral contracts void. It is simply that such contracts have no standing in court. Oral agreements between agents covering division of commission are recognized by the courts.

AGENTS' MISSION.

The agent is entitled to his commission upon producing a purchaser as described, and it is of no concern to him what happens between the principals as regards their negotiations on matters not provided for in the agency contract.

If the title proves defective the agent's commission is due just the same.

If the principals fall out over adjustment of the taxes, rents, water bills, etc., it is not up to the agent to either pay these himself, or, as is often done, almost out. The real estate business is

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agents of their share of the responsibility, but nevertheless the public is at least equally guilty and will have to shoulder half the blame. The agents should realize that the securing of a contract to sell property is not altogether an asset. The very assumption of the role of agency carries with it certain duties and responsibilities that partake very largely of the nature of a liability. He owes his client a good and valuable service. Involving the expenditure of time, labor and money. This service is what justifies the payment of the commission.

Unless the agency seriously and intelligently assumed, followed by a service honestly rendered, there can be no moral satisfaction taken in the commission business secured. The agent cannot escape the self-consciousness of not having really earned the money, and this is certainly not in the best interests of the real estate business. On the other hand, the public is to be cautioned to stand by contracts and not open the way for all kinds of dual dealing by becoming contract-breakers. A bargain once made should be lived up to. A contract once granted should be honored.

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BANK CLEARINGS IN SIX CITIES DECREASE

Bank clearings as reported to the California

thereafter cannot be of any immediate importance to him. The misunderstanding of this cardinal principle on the part of both agents and clients is a fruitful source of trouble in the real estate business, and is probably responsible for something like 20 per cent of all the wrong-doing charged up to the agents. We have no desire of relieving the

REALTY DEALS OF ONE WEEK

Weekly report of real estate transactions in the county of Alameda, compiled by George W. Austin for the week ending December 6.

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| Transfers— | |
| Total number | \$54 |
| Daily average | 59 |
| Trust Deeds— | |
| Number of Bank | 22 |
| Number of Private | 58 |
| Total Number | 101 |
| Daily Average | 17 |
| Amount of Bank | \$62,115.00 |
| Amount of Private | 124,575.51 |
| Total amount | \$181,932.51 |
| Mortgages— | |
| Number of Bank | 76 |
| Number of Private | 76 |
| Total Number | 152 |
| Daily Average | 12 |
| Amount of Bank | \$78,646.25 |
| Amount of Private | 120,265.58 |
| Total Amount | \$198,915.13 |
| Conveyances of Trust Deeds— | |
| Number of Private | 48 |
| Total Number | 92 |
| Daily Average | 16 |
| Amount of Bank | \$76,262.00 |
| Amount of Private | 56,017.00 |
| Total Amount | \$132,279.50 |
| Releases of Mortgages— | |
| Number of Bank | 20 |
| Number of Private | 50 |
| Total Number | 80 |
| Daily Average | 12 |
| Amount of Bank | \$61,428.00 |
| Amount of Private | 95,660.73 |
| Total Amount | \$156,088.73 |

SHAVES AND BATHS FRIGHTEN TRAMPS

CHICAGO, Dec. 13.—"Dirty" Eowers began to lead his cohorts from the West Side today when Judge Eickel announced that all tramps arrested hereafter must be bathed, shaved and have their hair trimmed.

\$20,000 INVOLVED IN LAND TRANSFER

Block on Fifty-ninth Street Is Sold as Home

Block.

A deal amounting to over \$20,000 was closed by George W. Austin's office last week, when James Kirkland sold almost an entire block of land on Fifty-ninth street, east of Congress avenue, to the building firm of Jesperson and Dippo.

This is considered the choicest large piece of vacant property in this section, and many builders have been anxious to secure it, as there is a great demand for houses in this district.

Jesperson & Dippo will immediately begin the erection of a number of fine homes that will be in keeping with those which surround this block.

George W. Austin represented the buyer in this transaction and T. W. Moran was agent for James Kirkland.

Austin has had a number of inquiries of late from Easterners, who are desirous of

securing information about Oakland with a view to locating and investing money here.

One of the inquiries was from a merchant in the Middle West, who, among other things, wanted to know if it was a fact that California did not have snow in the winter and that the thermometer never went below 50 degrees on the very coldest days.

George W. Austin also reports the following sales:

A. L. Young sold J. T. Hinch the southeast corner of McGee and Buena streets, Berkeley. This is the second sale of this property within a month. Claude Franklin sold two houses on Santa Rita avenue, near Hardington street, to George A. Faulkner.

W. A. Brasch bought the southeast corner of Clifton and Nicola streets in the Claremont Villa Tract, and has commenced the erection of a modern home.

B. A. Stewart sold to J. M. Shannon a house in Dutton Manor Tract. John Anderson exchanged 20 acres at Sebastopol to W. B. Reynolds for property in Fourth Avenue Heights. Professor Walter A. McGee bought a lot on Glendale avenue in the Claremont Villa Tract. The Kirkham Nursery Company of Fresno bought 40 acres at Madera. Jesperson & Dippo bought 13 lots on Fifty-ninth street in the Claremont district from James Kirkland. G. A. Faulkner bought a house and lot on A street, in Hayward, from John Andersen.

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IMPROVERS BUILDING ARTISTIC CLUB-HOUSES

Types of picturesque clubhouses and neighborhood centers—Left, Vernon-Rockridge Improvement Club's home, College avenue, near Lawton, and Peralta Heights Improvement Club building, Newton and Fourth Avenues.



NEIGHBORHOOD CENTERS MODERN DEVELOPMENT

Club Members Discuss Improvements and Hear Lectures at Meetings

The modern development of Oakland, the interest of their neighborhoods, to be submitted to the city officials.

The influence of the 40 organizations of this class may be felt in real estate circles and in other fields of business and progress, and their power is something to be reckoned with far beyond the narrow confines of politics.

Oakland's growth has been so rapid in recent years that the city offers perhaps the best example of advancement and widening of endeavor of the improvement club.

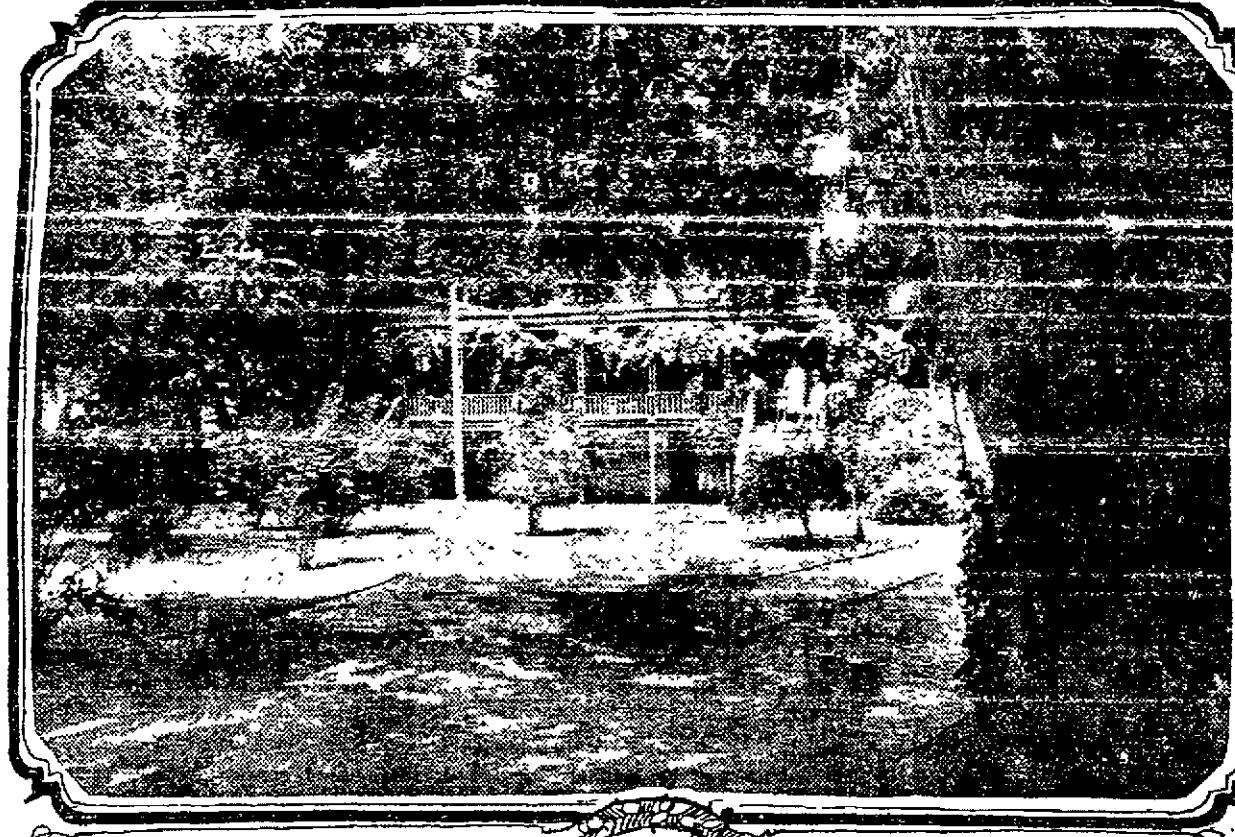
Oakland has undergone an increase in population of 1/4 per cent during the last 10 years, and the membership of these organizations has been corresponding.

Formed originally only for the purpose of obtaining public betterments through the local government and through actual concerted effort on their own part in a purely neighborhood fashion, they have broadened into civic centers for the intellectual improvement and for the amvement and social enjoyment of their members.

The women have now come into active participation in the affairs of the clubs.

They are attending the meetings regularly with their husbands and helping to prepare recent evasions of real worth, in

CHOWCHILLA RANCH TO BE SUBDIVIDED



OLD CHOWCHILLA HOME PLACE, TYPICAL OF HOMESTEADS IN THE HEART OF THE SAN JOAQUIN.

Concentration of a big real estate deal last week calls to the attention of the public the eminence of the San Joaquin valley. The deal concerns the famous Chowchilla ranch, which has long been considered by real estate operators the finest place in the valley. The ranch, 180,000 acres in extent, has been taken over by Stine & Kendrick, local real estate dealers, who will be in a position to offer this property to settlers immediately after the first of the year.

Lying in the heart of the San Joaquin valley, the Chowchilla ranch is level as a table and as fertile as any soil to be found in this vast empire. The fertility of the place deserves special mention, as the river does, since it has been exterminated during the past 50 years to a great extent by pastures which work as a great stimulus to the most fertile soils.

The fact that 90 per cent of the ranch has never been under the plow is a strong argument to the land purchaser for its virginity and strength.

The California Pastoral & Agricultural company, with offices in Edinburgh, purchased this property in 1882, from which time they operated it successfully as a stock ranch until recently, when the new owners acquired it. It is stated that the recent sale was made to satisfy the heirs of many of the former holders in this company, as several deaths have occurred.

About evenly divided between Merced and Madera counties, the Chowchilla ranch is located in the heart of the eastern dairy and agricultural district in California. At the annual state fair in 1911 this section won the first prize for the best display of agricultural products, while 18 other awards were given.

The demand for rentals throughout the city continues brisk despite the recesses to the closing of the university session. Practically all of the university community occupying rented houses is retaining possession of its residences over the Christmas holidays, but there is a heavy demand from others for medium-priced residence rentals.

\$100,000 BUILDING FOR TELEGRAPH AND DURANT

Elston & Clark Plan Apartment and Store Structure in Berkeley

BERKELLY, Dec. 11.—The most important industrial news of the week was the announcement that J. A. Elston and George Clark would put up a five-story building at Telegraph and Durant street. Work on the structure, it is understood, will begin some time this winter, and it is expected the building will be ready for occupancy by July, possibly earlier.

It has been decided to convert the upper four stories into apartments. On the lower floor will be store rooms, which will have an excellent frontage either on Telegraph or Durant. The building is to be erected diagonally across from the Ewbank Methodist church and the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity houses.

TO COST \$100,000.

Elston and Clark are said to be planning to put over \$100,000 into the structure, which will occupy a site 90 by 96 feet. The property is valued at \$850 a foot. The proposed building represents another step in the development of this section of the city. The corner a block nearer the university are occupied by the Beta Alpha Alpha Vista and El Granada apartment houses. The last two are five-story structures and the first a three-story. The Carlton is another five-story structure, making with the new Elston and Clark building, a block of well built structures. It is understood the Delta Kappa Epsilon Home Association has its place on the market, and it is believed no considerable time will elapse before that corner is also converted by a modern store and apartment or office building.

NEW FIREHOUSE PLANNED.

Walter H. Ratcliff, who designed the Elston and Clark building, is also the architect hired by the city to design the new firehouses, and he has completed plans for a modern structure to be built at Durant and Shattuck for the fire company now occupying an old building there. It will cost \$20,000 and will be well built and excellently appointed in all partic-

ulars, this being the up-to-date firehouse.

ENDURANCE DANCER'S RECORD.

VENICE, Dec. 13.—Venice can now lay claim to the world's champion endurance dancer. Orville Dull finished a twenty-four hour dance after eight three-hour sessions, recording 912 and breaking the former record of 61 miles. Only three of the ten original girls partners of Dull have survived the pace, although they danced with thirty-two different partners, wore out three pairs of dancing pumps and lost 10½ pounds.

for occupancy in the spring, the firehouse necessary to its erection being already sold.

\$475,000 COST OF SEWERS.

The improvement of various thoroughfares throughout the city and the laying of the new sewers is believed to be of great advantage to the local builders to be of great advantage to their work. The city proposes spending about \$475,000 on a new sewer system, and the first bids on this work are already being received. In addition there will be paving of the man thoroughfares of the

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Notwithstanding the fact that various crops thrive at Chowchilla, it is the primary idea of Stine & Kendrick to make this property one of the greatest dairy land projects in the state. It is already popular as a great dairying country and owing to the attractive prices realized

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Regarding the production of alfalfa, it

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in one city because there seemed to be more

lots of that size than any other,

and a different sized lot for another city

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into irregular shapes and sizes, so that no matter what sized lots might be determined by the standard for the lot, the assessor would still if entirely inadequate, so that he still has to estimate or guess at the value of a piece of ground north perhaps \$500,000 or more and it some time it is discovered he has made an error of a matter of \$50,000 he is called incompetent.

JUST VALUATION, AIM.

The assessor is entitled to an accurate, scientific system of measuring

the acre to look at your property and "estimate" what rate of taxation you should pay in to let him to look at a

whole business property and estimate what it is worth. The chances are that your assessment would be nearly

correct.

If your property is worth \$10,000, then

pay part of another's taxes or he part

of yours, according to whether the "est-

imate" is high or low.

Confidence in the future of Forte

street near the Oakland and Antio-

checa streets, the city's business

establish a permanent branch office

on Forte and Opal streets where a

large camp is being planned for the

development of central Oakland.

Sales totaling almost \$15,000 were

made during the opening week, with

numerous inquiries further tend to

indicate a healthy condition of the

money market.

ISSUE PERMITS FOR 2 APARTMENT HOUSES

Cost of Building for Week in Oakland Totals \$62,583

Rain and holiday shopping detracted from the amount of building undertaken during the week. But at that the construction cost, as shown by the issue of building permits issued, was \$62,583.

J. C. Bowring is to erect a two-story 12 room dwelling on the east side of Hillcrest road in Claremont, at a cost of \$350, a permit having been issued during the week.

Philip Mayer, one-story five-room dwelling, southeast corner of Manila and Clinton, \$250.

A. C. Brill, two-story fourteen-room flats, west side of Elbert street, 112 feet from Twelfth street, by A. C. Brill at a cost of \$750.

Two apartment houses are provided for in the permits. One is for G. S. Reaney and will cost \$800. It is to be two stories high and will be erected at 122 East Fortieth street. Another apartment house is to be built by J. P. Silva on the south side of Fortieth street, near Howe, at a cost of \$400.

The summary of building permits applied for during the week ending Wednesday follows:

| Classification of Bldgs. Permits | Cost |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| 1-story dwellings | \$10,750 |
| 2-story dwellings | 11,750 |
| 2-story flats | 7,500 |
| 2-story apartments | 12,000 |
| 1-story stores | 50 |
| Garages | 490 |
| Barn | 490 |
| Pigeon houses | 500 |
| Alterations, additions and re- | 19 |
| Totals | \$62,583 |

The permits in detail are as follows:

Elizabeth Loughery, two-story eight-room dwelling, west side of Valle Vista street, 112 feet north of Elwood; \$350.

Joseph Spangler, repairs, 401 forty-first street; \$40.

May Farrell, one-story five-room dwelling, 122 feet south of Hopkins; \$1500.

Herbert Gregory, alterations, 1917 Thirty-eighth avenue; \$400.

T. T. Lee, resiling, 682 Thirty-third street; \$250.

J. C. McEwen, alteration, 1643 Thirty-fourth avenue; \$62.

Mrs. E. Murphy, resiling, 229 Ninth street; \$60.

J. H. King Estate, alteration, southwest corner of Market and Shattuck; \$700.

W. E. Stratton, one-story store, southwest corner Sixty-eighth and East Fourteenth street; \$50.

T. A. Baker, alteration, 726 Thirty-sixth avenue; \$35.

Joseph T. Hinck, one-story five-room dwelling, east side Everett street, 415 feet south of Hampel; \$2500.

J. C. Bowman, two-story twelve-room dwelling, east side Hillcrest road, lot 4, block 9, Clayton; \$1050.

J. Lewis, alteration, 1281 Sixty-fourth avenue; \$100.

J. Snyder, garage, west side Everett, 240 feet south of Hampel; \$100.

North Oakland sees great realty and building activity.

APARTMENTS AND STORES PLANNED

Realty Syndicate sells block of frontage on 50th Street.

Upon the southeast corner of Forte and Ruby streets, as a result of the Realty Syndicate's activity, a handsome building will shortly be erected.

The structure will cover 45 feet frontage

and is to contain four stores, tenants for

two of which have already been secured

at attractive rentals. Plans are now

under preparation and construction is

scheduled to commence next week.

Architects are also working on plans

for a three-story store and apartment

building to be erected at the southeast

corner of Forte and Clark streets to

E. R. Comstock, who purchased it

several days ago. This building will

thoroughly modern throughout and will

provide a striking addition to the area's

large number of apartment houses in the

district.

H. Rogers is having plans prepared to

a three-story store and apartment building on the west side of Broadway just

north of Forte street. This structure will

add a one-story building erecting by

Rogers some time ago and now use

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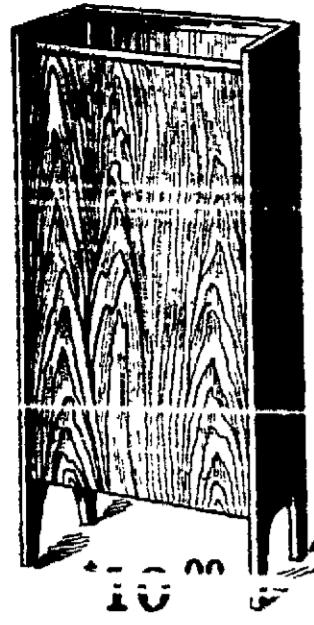
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OAKLAND TRIBUNE

DECEMBER 14, 1913



Our auto truck delivery system en-
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JACKSON'S

We are still showing our 3-room outfit for
\$65.00; includes a set of dishes and the
furniture is solid oak; \$6.50 cash, \$6.50
month.

Our gift section on the main floor this week is an exposition of particularly attractive upholstered furniture, medium-priced chairs, rockers and sofa beds in serviceable leather and tapestry. A holiday showing of helpful hints, all sold on Jackson's easy terms

On payment of one dollar down
we will deliver any article listed
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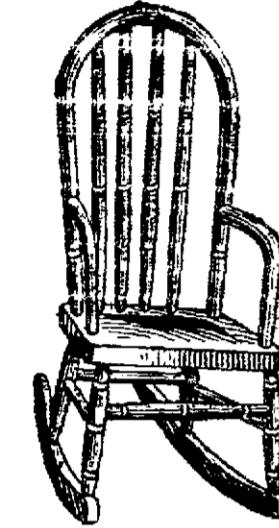


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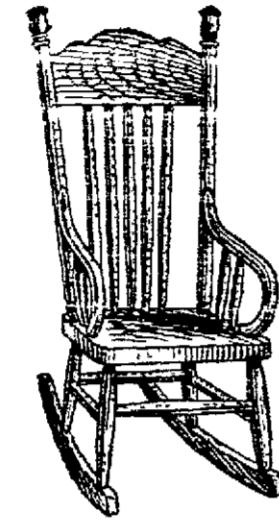
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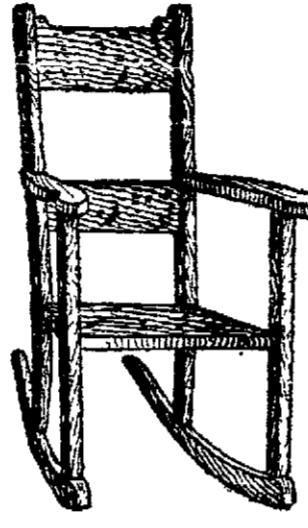
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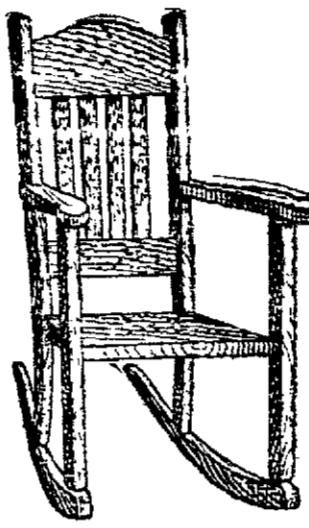
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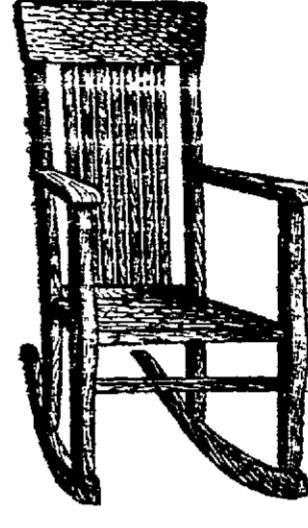
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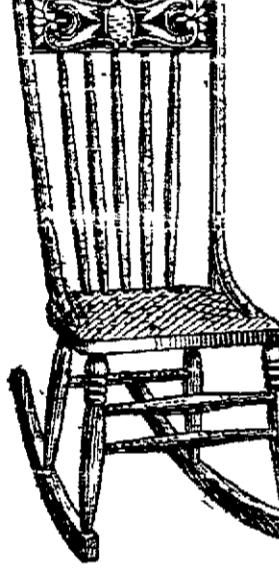
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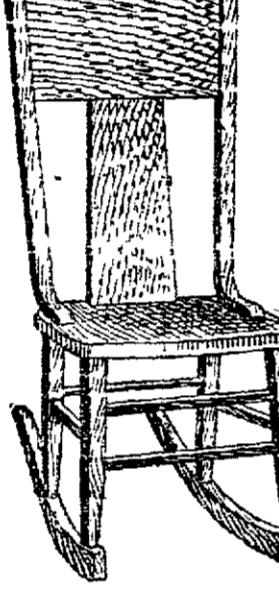
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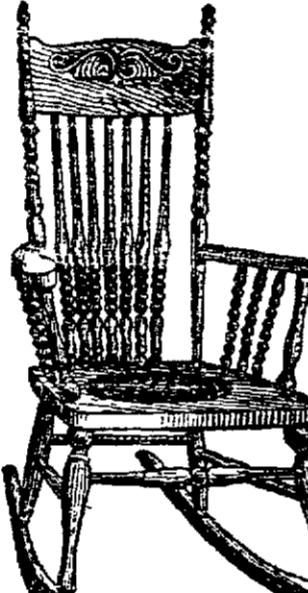
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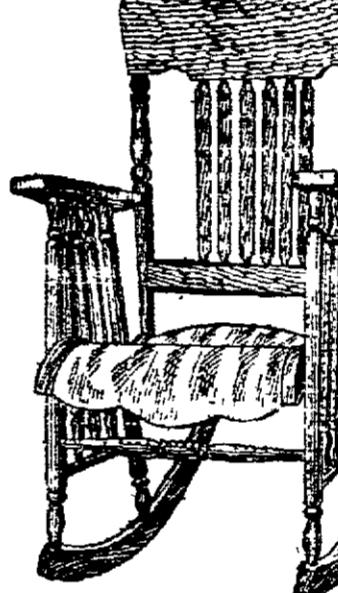
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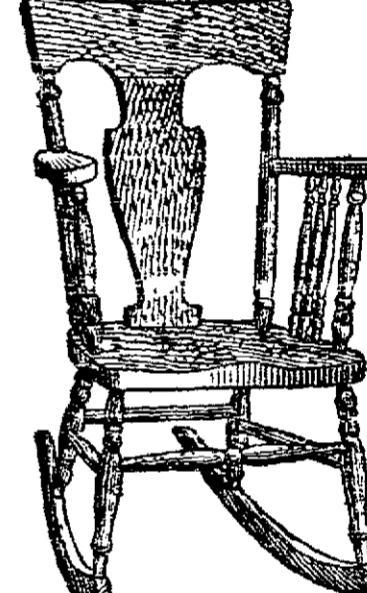
A good comfortable Rocker for
living room, as illustrated, turned
spindles, embossed back, made of
elm, golden finish, wide seat \$3.50
Holiday special \$3.50



Another good comfortable Ladies'
Rocker, as illustrated, elm, golden
finish, embossed back, turned
spindles, cobbler
seat \$4.00
Holiday special \$4.00



A comfortable Rocker, good style,
in solid oak, golden finish, saddle
seat, as illustrated,
high arms, low back \$5.00
Holiday special \$5.00



A well made Rocker, in oak, golden
finish with built up scoop seat
as illustrated, high back and arms,
very comfortable \$5.50
Holiday special \$5.50

Gifts for the ladies

The Carpet and Drapery Department offers
many useful and appropriate gifts at a reasonable
price.

CARPET SWEEPERS.

Something every lady without a vacuum cleaner
would appreciate. Priced \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50

BLANKETS.

Warm fleecy white and gray, all wool and wool
mixed, priced from \$5.50 to \$20.00.

LACE BED SETS.

Best French Net Battenberg and bonaz styles, with
bolster piece to match, \$5.50 to \$25.00.

PILLOWS.

Leather burnt work, covers a large assortment, at \$5.75 each.

TABLE SCARFS.

Leather burnt work; a large variety at \$4.50 each.



Special aluminum pans, set of 3
95 cents

A useful little gift. Don't cost
100 sets to be sold. no tele-
phone or C. O. D. orders. No
delivery; sold in sets only.

Gifts for the men

A lot of office desks and chairs that we are
closing out at a big reduction. Flat tops, roll-
able tops, also tables.

SHAVING STANDS

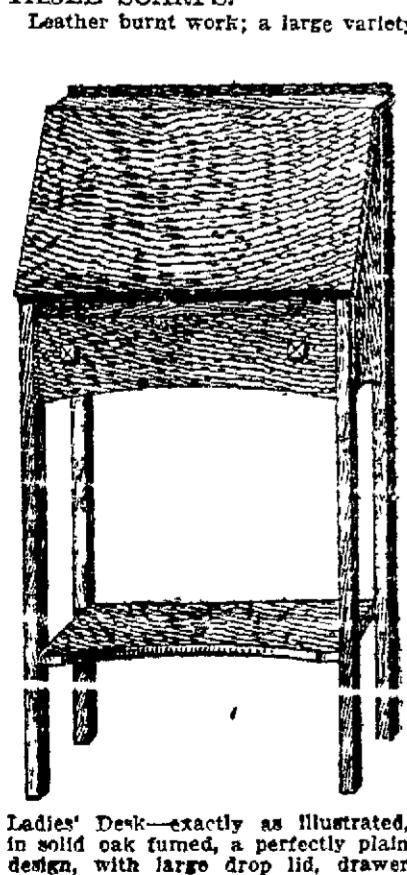
Handy, for they can be moved anywhere. Range
along \$16.50 and \$18.00.

CELLARETTES

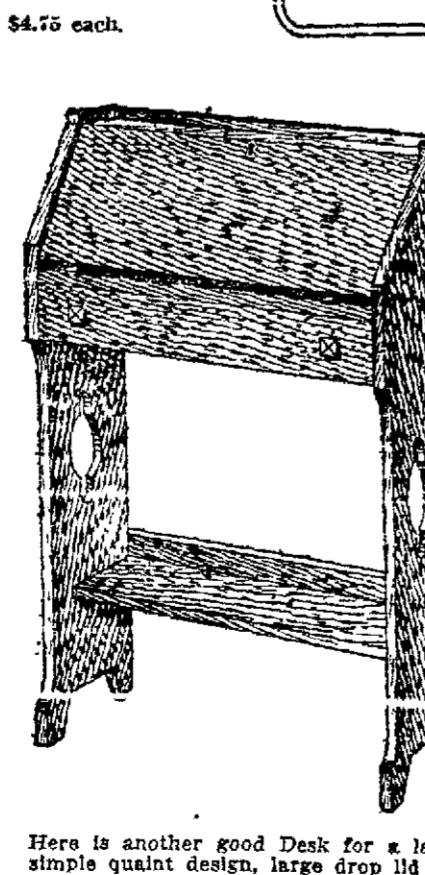
In golden oak fumed and mahogany; late designs;
fully equipped; not expensive.

SMOKERS' TABLES

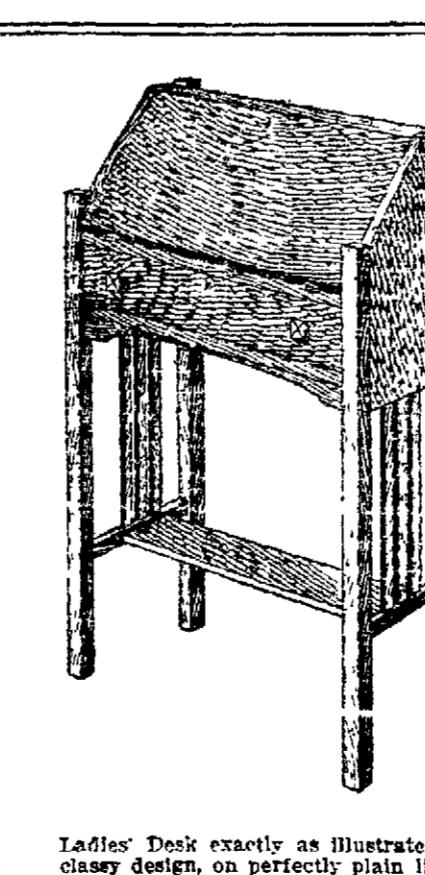
And Humidors Smoking Tables are fine; have ash
tray, match and cigar holders. Priced along \$4.50 up
to \$20.00.



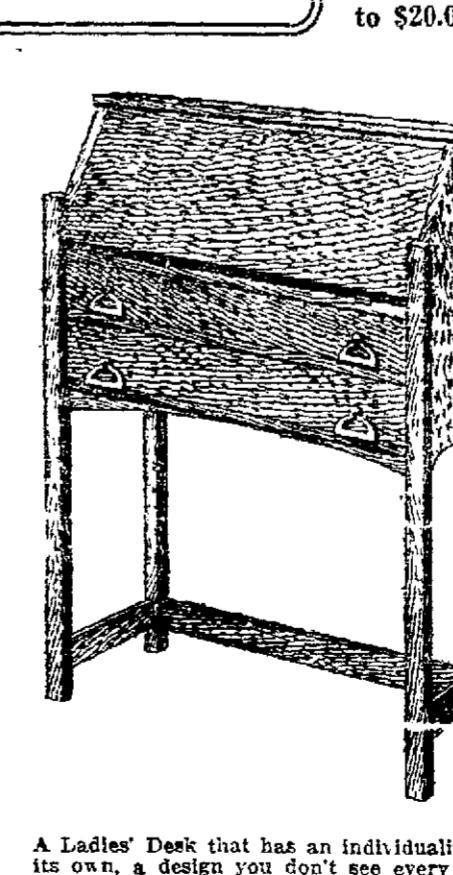
Ladies' Desk—exactly as illustrated,
in solid oak turned, a perfectly plain
design, with large drop lid, drawer
below, also shelf for magazines. This
is an exceptional value. See it on
our mezzanine floor ... \$15.00
Holiday special \$15.00



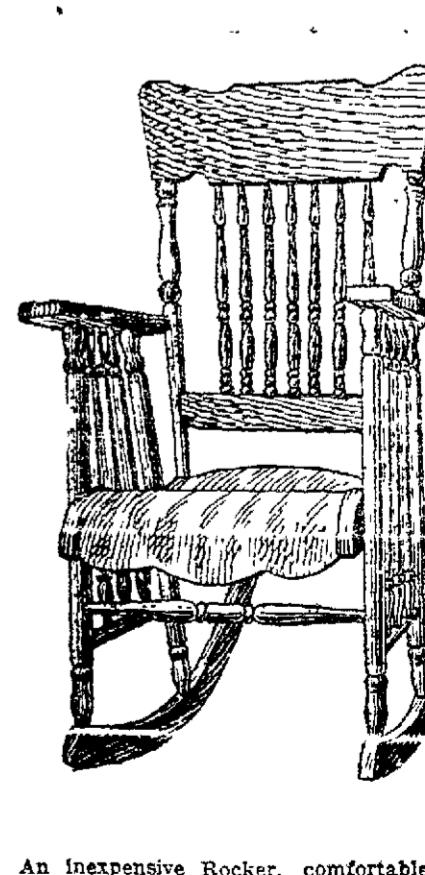
Here is another good Desk for a lady,
simple quaint design, large drop lid for
writing, drawer below, also shelf. It is
made of solid oak, fumed finish; yet
not severe, full square effect;
many small desks \$16.50
Holiday special \$16.50



Ladies' Desk exactly as illustrated, a
classy design, on perfectly plain lines,
yet not severe, full square effect; made
of solid oak, fumed finish; has
large drop lid drawer \$24.00
Holiday special \$24.00



A Ladies' Desk that has an individuality
of its own, a design you don't see every day,
exactly as illustrated, made of solid oak,
quarter sawed, full square effect, perfectly
plain, large drop lid, two drawers below
\$27.50
Holiday special \$27.50



An inexpensive Rocker, comfortable and
well made, oak, golden finish, turned spindles,
built up shaped seat, high back and
arms, as illustrated, an
exceptional value \$6.00
Holiday special \$6.00

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